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Students Determine Direction for Life

Throughout our years at SHS, we found many pathways that were laid before us. The directions that we chose as we followed these paths depended on our individual interests and capabilities.

From the beginning of our school years to the last goodbyes spoken at Commencement, we followed the course best suited for us. Through the guidance of our teachers, parents, and friends, we followed these courses, and grew through our experiences they provided.

For those of us who continue at SHS, and for those who follow a different course, we all will encounter more pathways. From these new pathways, we must choose the direction we will take as we travel along the road to the future.

The Trojans launch an all-out attack in their attempts to tackle their opponent.

Jean Kienast assists Terry Ludwig in positioning her mortar board prior to graduation ceremonies.

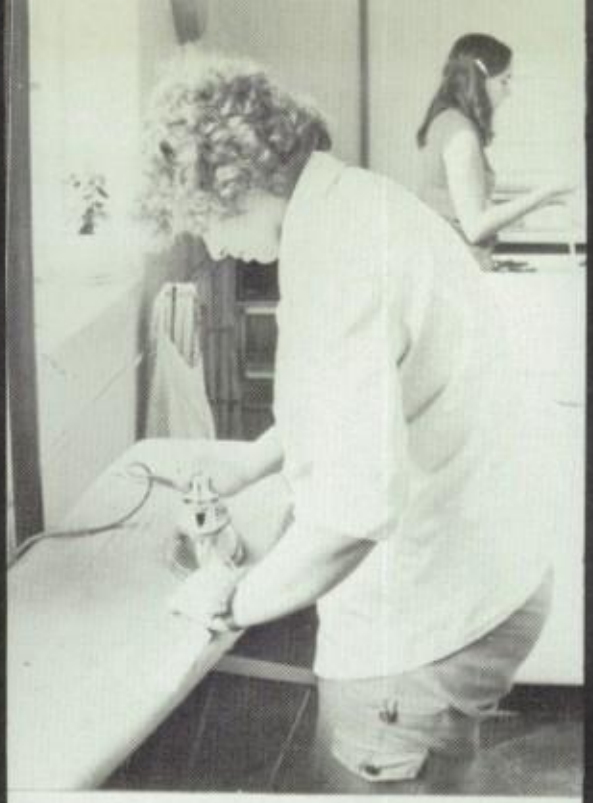
and Construct Paths for the Future

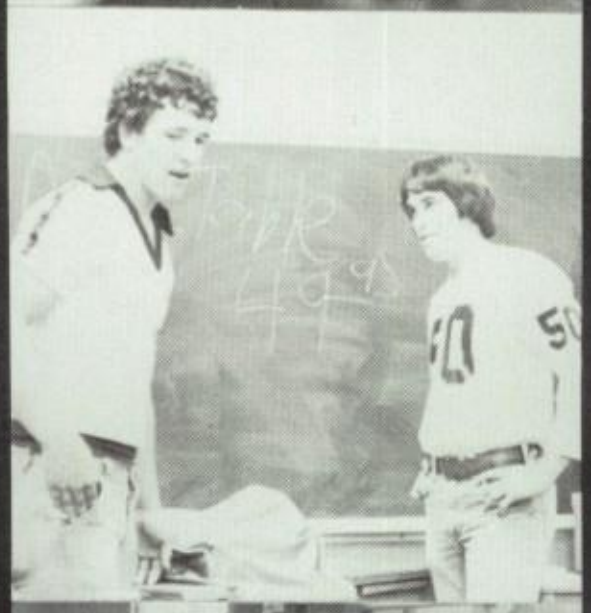
The Homecoming Eve pep rally serves as an opportunity for students to get rowdy before the big game.

Debra Dudley takes a moment to reflect on the day's activities while waiting for the last bell to ring.

Terri Skalla, Lisa St. Peter, and Polly Eason listen attentively to the college representatives during Career Day at Jefferson.

The Central Valley Conference serves as a coordinator for the activities of SHS and the surrounding school districts.





ACADEMICS

Home Ec. Prepares Pupils for Future

A variety of Home Ec. classes ranging from General Home Ec. to Experimental Clothing were offered to students this year. With many aspects of learning stressed, the General Home Ec. class sponsored their annual PTA style show and preschool. Housing class studied many house designs and types of equipment. Their own designs were done with the help of new project books. Singles' Living class helped boys learn the basics of foods and clothing. Through Experimental Clothing the students furthered their techniques according to their needs and abilities. Each class stressed the importance of individuality.

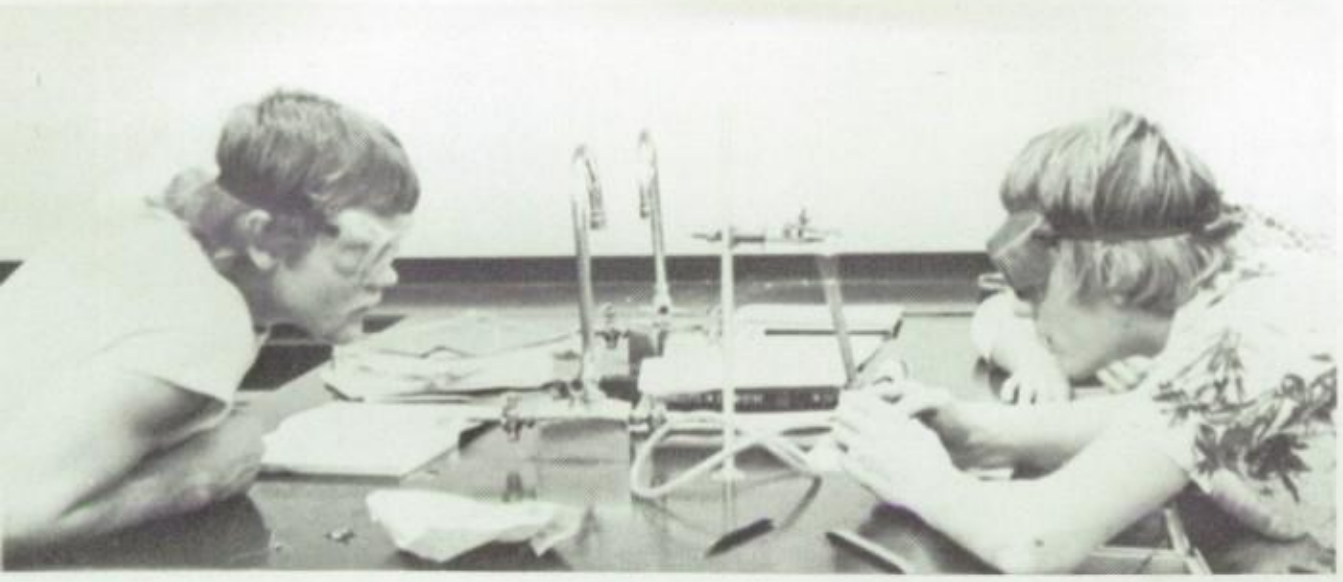
Dee Dee Duff and Shelly Barr practice for the annual style show.

Freshman Kris Hoyt participates in teaching preschool.

Tammi Meckler learns about the responsibility required for parenthood while caring for her baby egg.

Jodie Frazier assists Debra Dudley in repairing the stage curtains.

Experimental Labs Trigger Interest



The large variety of science courses offered at SHS benefitted the students by offering them the opportunity to choose the course that they felt best suited for. Most of the juniors and seniors found that chemistry was a challenge and gave them the background essentials for similar college courses. Most sophomores and juniors explored the variety of combinations of hereditary traits in genetics. Biology and botany students studied various life organisms, while physical science gave freshmen the basic knowledge which will be helpful for later high school courses.

Mick Coellner observes the reaction as Jeff Stevens heats the test tube.

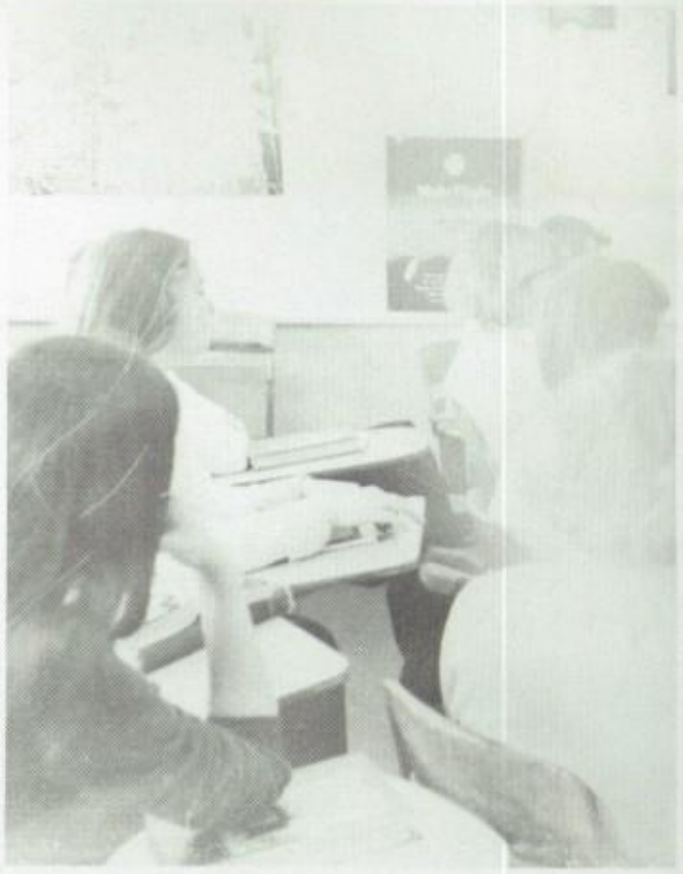
Anatomy students Nancy Fiedler and Joan Nepple examine the dissected cat.

David Esdohr, David Eberle, and John Esdohr record the observations as Talawna Bane conducts the experiment.

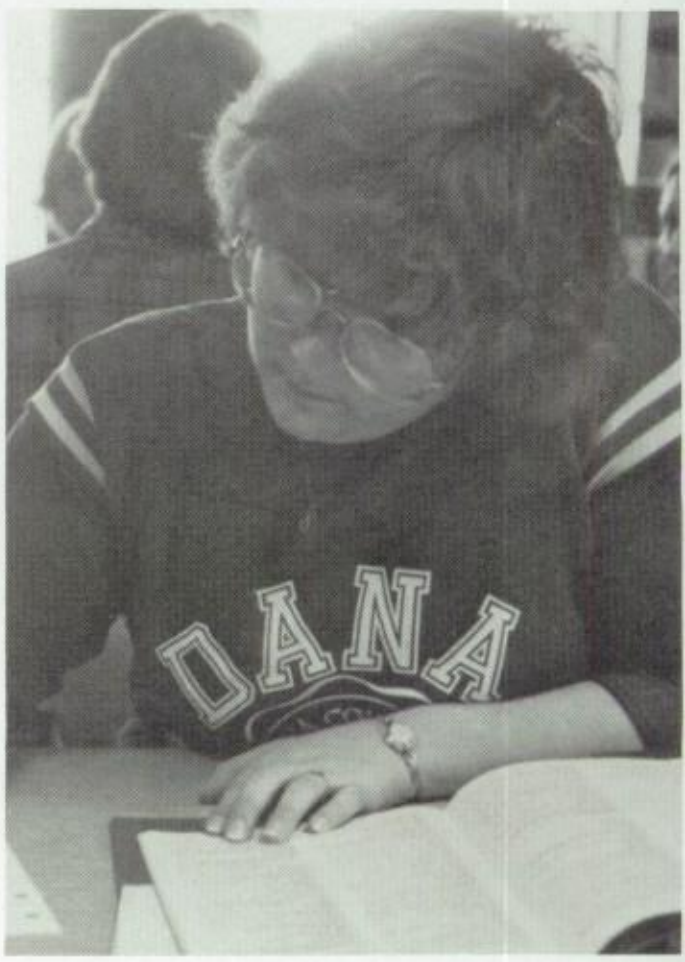
English Is the Key to Communication

The English Department offered a large variety of courses. Mass Media was again taught in both semesters. The drama class studied the history of drama and explored the writings of Shakespeare. The plays MacBeth and Beowolf were read by the students in British Authors. Speech offered the opportunity for the students to express their opinions. Exposition proved to be very challenging for the seniors who planned on furthering their education. For one quarter they wrote on various themes. The second quarter was spent writing research papers on a career that each student wished to pursue. The class visited the library on the Iowa State Campus for a day, gathering useful information for the papers.

During their demonstration speeches, Darwin Dudley and Brian Hunter show how a trap works and the various trapping techniques which are used by trappers.



During drama class, the students focus their attention to the front of the room to watch a program on Shakespeare.



Jana Christensen concentrates on taking notes as she strives to complete her exposition paper.

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Group Activities Help Spanish Classes

Michelle Cornelius and Lisa St. Peter learn about various Spanish customs by constructing a pinata. After it was constructed, Lisa St. Peter tries to break it with the bat.

This year six students participated in Spanish and were placed in three different levels.

The students learned the fundamental mechanics of spoken and written Spanish. This involved learning the various verb forms as well as acquiring an extensive vocabulary of nouns and common phrases.

Spanish customs, such as the celebration of a fiesta, were also observed by the class. For this they constructed a pinata and cooked some Spanish dishes.

Art Provides Variety

David Eberle uses his artistic craftsmanship as he uses the potter's wheel to mold a bowl in crafts class.

Revising the art curriculum brought about changes in the art program. Art classes were divided into two basic areas, crafts and fine arts. The purchase of a new kiln aided the crafts classes on their ceramic unit. Crafts students also worked on macrame, stained glass, and leather projects.

The fine arts program included drawing and painting classes. The painting classes enjoyed watercolor, oil, and acrylic painting.

For the more advanced students a special problems class was offered. This class allowed talented students to work independently on assignments of their choice.

Crafts student Talawna Bane remains motionless as she waits for her plaster face cast to dry.

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New Ideas Interest Business Students

A new and different class was brought about by the new Business Education instructor, Miss Judie Frazey. Dealing with the changing world by correct correspondence was taught in the new Business Correspondence course. Office Practice found students using office machines, filing, typing, and learning other necessary skills. The girls caught on quickly to Forkner shorthand.

The complete accounting cycle was taught in accounting. Headaches were caused by getting debits and credits to equal. Typing I and II students worked on learning and improving their basic skills and speed. Many male students were attracted to Business Law where they learned about the different kinds of contracts and insurance, and how the law really effects our society.

Karen Barr, Brenda Gleason, and Terri Skalla use a skit to demonstrate false advertising in Business Law.

Brenda Stubbe uses her time during typing class to develop speed and accuracy.

Study guides provide much needed practice on the accounting cycle for Nancy Fiedler.

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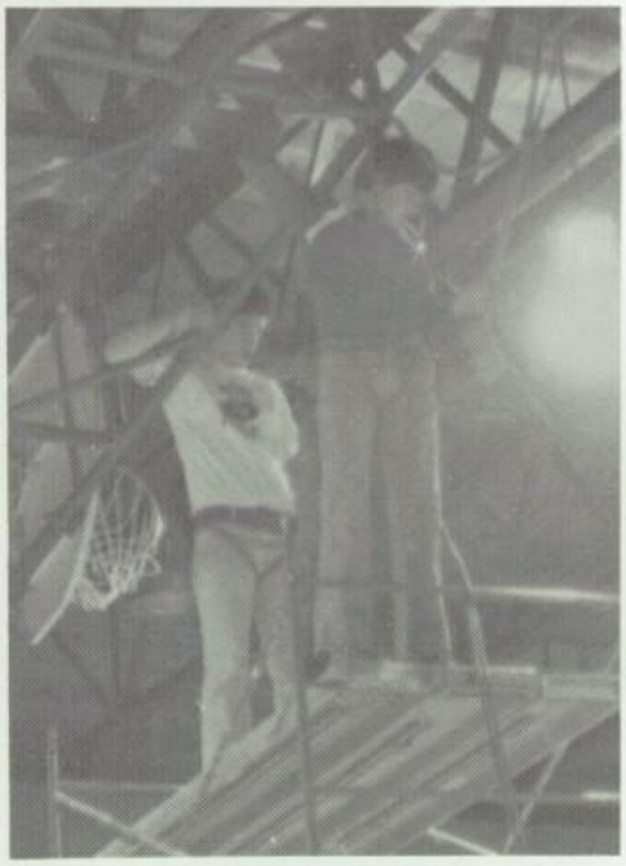
P.E. Supplies Invigorating Exercise



Physical Education this year has brought many fun and challenging games. Classes started the fall out with flag football, speedball and soccer which they enjoyed playing outside while the weather was warm. When indoors for the winter, the classes kept busy playing volleyball, basketball, dodgeball, badminton, hockey, and scooter soccer. A new type of exercise, mountain climbing, was taught to P.E. students by the Army. The Carroll Rec. Center was visited also. The spring activities included whiffle ball, tennis, field hockey, golf, softball, and bicycling. Student participation made the year fun and interesting.

During a volleyball game, John Russell jumps back to try and save the ball.

The army taught repelling in P.E. this year. It provided a lot of fun for Pat Taggart and Danny Eslick.

Throwing the frisbee is enjoyable recreation for Joyce Dobson.

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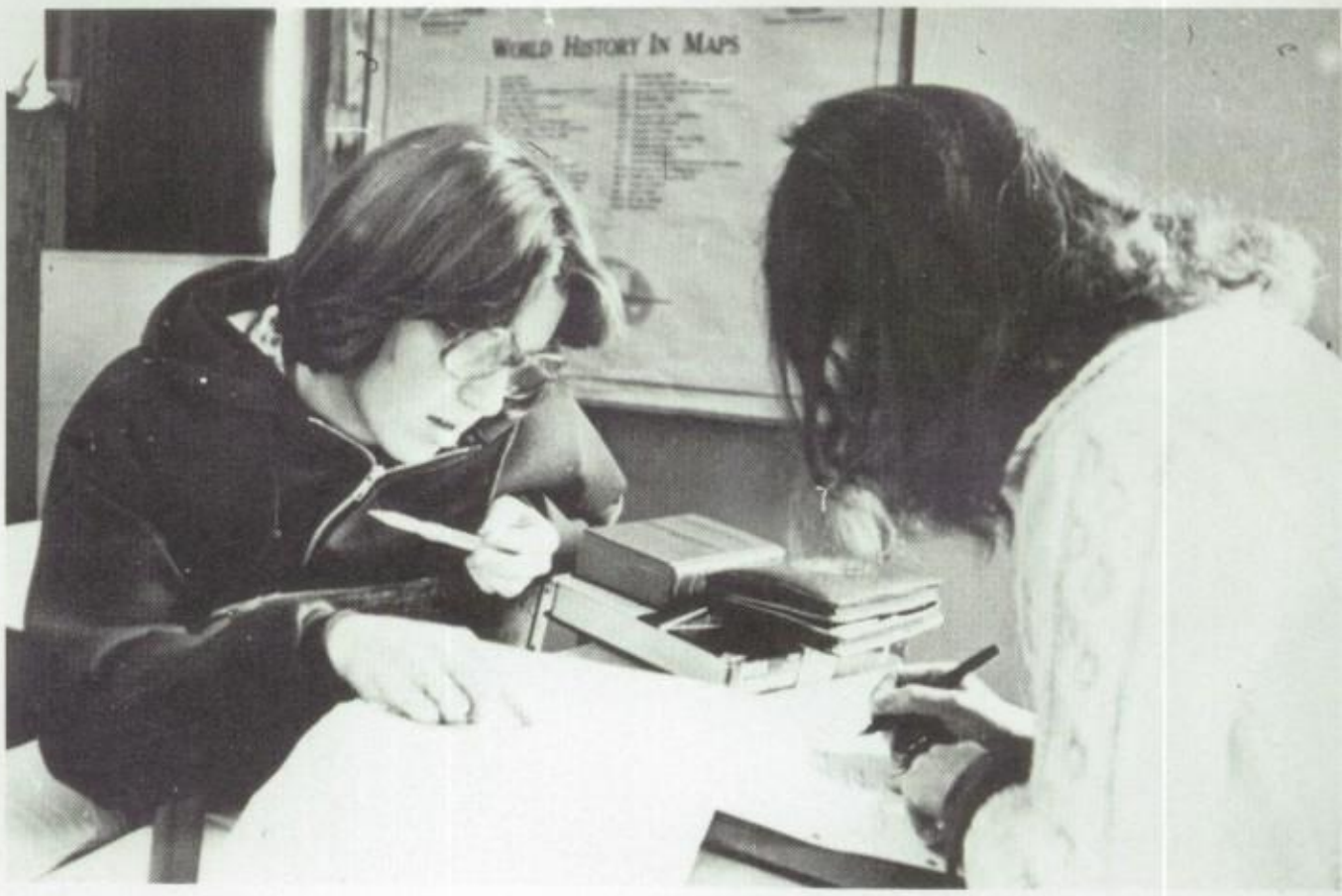
Soc. Studies Views 'Beyond and Back'

Social Studies classes, taught by Mr. Wilson, participated in many interesting activities this year. Last fall the Economics class attended an auction. They also played the game "Stocks and Bonds". This gave them insight into the real stock market. A foreign Student Seminar at Iowa State University gave Eastern Cultures students the opportunity to meet foreign students. A biography going as far back as they could remember was required of Social Ethics students. In this class everyone was allowed free discussion. The movie "Beyond and Back" was seen by all social studies classes.



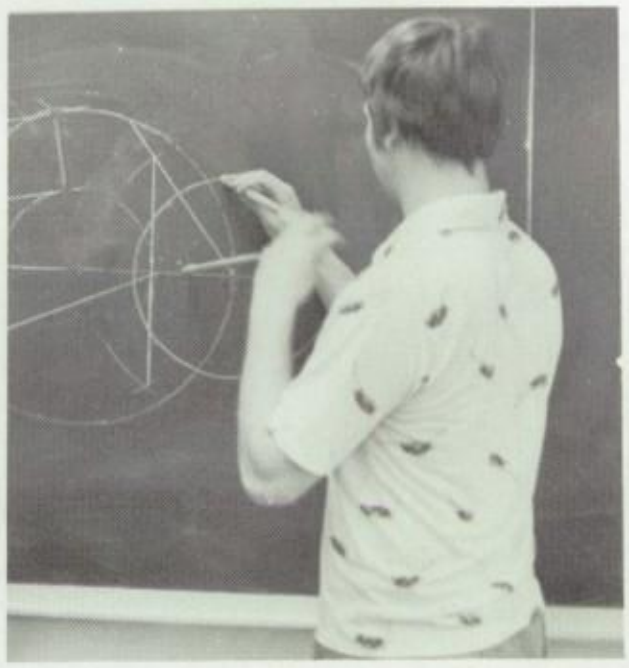
Karen Barr explains the basic structure of the U. S. Government to Marianne Tschudi.

Mildred MacDonald assists Bill Taggart with his questions about the voting machine.

Pat Murphy and Dave Esdohr demonstrate one of the many moves used in karate.

Students Calculate Problems in Math

Kathleen Fiedler and Joan Nepple receive their certificates from Creighton Math Day.



Many math skills were developed this year. Freshmen were required to take either General Math or Algebra I, where the unknown "X" appeared again.

Proofs were tackled in Geometry and rational numbers were discovered in Algebra II.

Trigonometry and pre-calculus were offered for the advanced student, working with vectors, logarithms, and slide rulers. Free time was spent attending Creighton Math Day in Omaha. Two areas there were the Leap Frog Relay and Chalk Talk Derby.

John Skalla works on making shapes the correct geometric size.

Sue Ann Marks, Mike Hove, and Barb Renwanz discuss the correct answer to a perplexing problem.

I.A. Classes Construct Many Projects

Industrial arts offers a wide variety of classes. Building construction is offered to the seniors. This year the boys built a garage for Ron Juergens. They mixed and ran their own concrete on this project.

Other courses offered were architecture, drafting, wood and metal working, electricity, and independent study. The independent study boys picked out their own projects. Most boys built their own weight benches.

Freshmen girls, Susan Egan and Barb Renwanz learn the basics in General Shop.

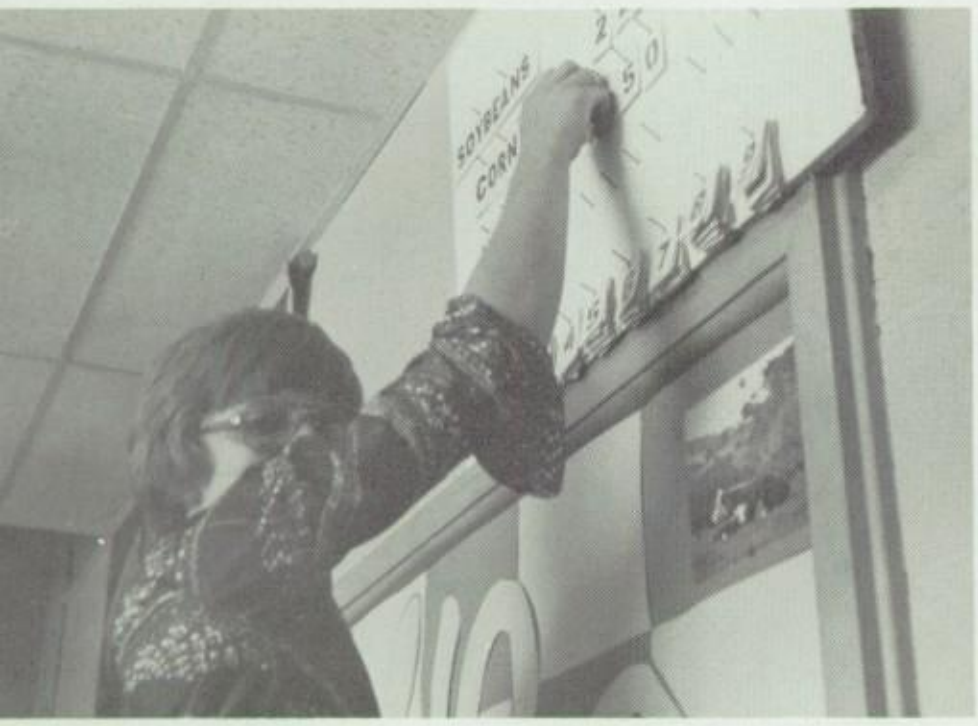
Steve Gibson and Todd Buswell use their electrical know-how to work on the shop's circuit box.

Fixing the engine of a motorcycle is just one of many projects for Kevin Skalla and Mike Hoyt.

Vo-Ag Members Participate in BOAC

This year's Vo-Ag students participated in a variety of projects, among which was a "Betterment of American Communities", better known as "BOAC". The classes which participated in this project were Vo-Ag III and IV students. For this project they built a teeter-totter for the elementary playground. These students also studied farm finances, record keeping, and machinery management.

Vo-Ag I students tackled the task of building a feed shed. They also went to FFA contest where they said the FFA creed and participated in various other public speaking activities. Swine and beef were also studied.



Otis Henning demonstrates anhydrous use to John Loeffler, Mike Gibson, and Craig Peterson.

Changing soybean and corn prices is a daily job for Donny Van Sickler.

Mike Gibson and Craig Peterson prepare an informative bulletin board.

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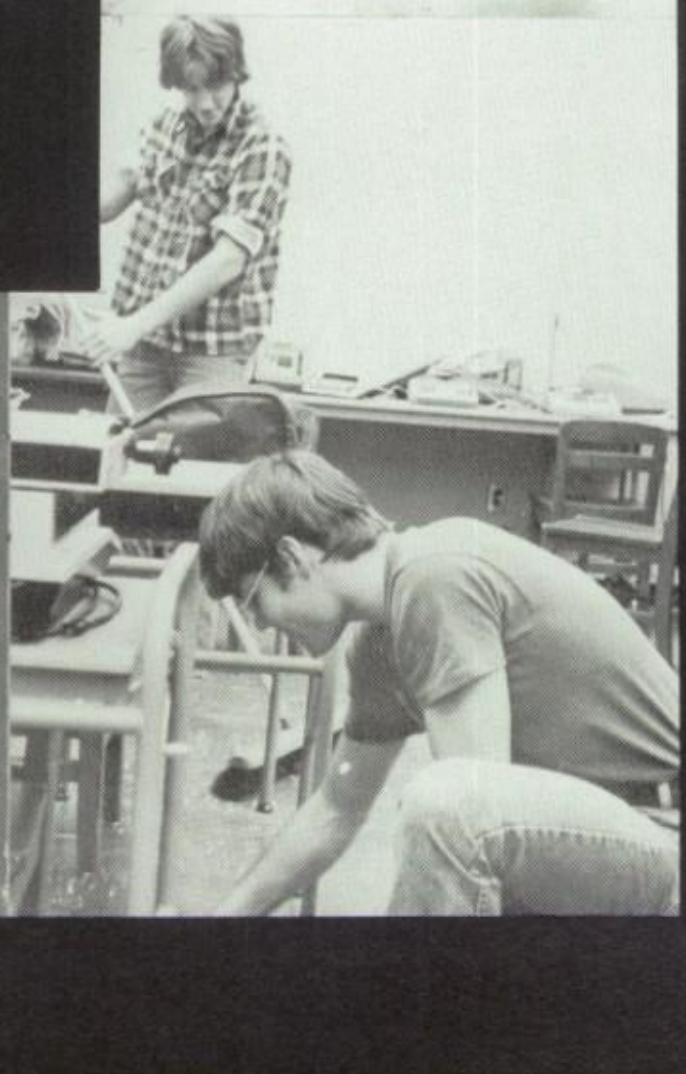


STUDENT LIFE

Honorary Queen Provides New Aspect

The annual Homecoming coronation provided a prelude to the activities which followed it.

As a special addition to the coronation, an Honorary Queen, Marianne Tschudi, was chosen. Debra Dudley and Jeff Monthei were chosen as the king and queen, and all were crowned by Hallie Still, Student Council president.

The other king candidates were Jay Juergens and Steve Appel. The queen candidates were Karen Barr and Brenda Gleason. Freshman, Sophomore, and Junior attendants were Valerie Dudley, Karen Skalla, and Teresa Renwanz. They were escorted by the Senior boys who participated in football. Following the crowning of the king and queen, Steve Appel sang "Today".

King Jeff Monthei and Queen Debra Dudley reign over the 1978 Homecoming.

The Royal Court listens intently as Steve Appel sings "Today".

Homecoming attendants were Valerie Dudley — Freshman, Teresa Renwanz — Junior, and Karen Skalla — Sophomore.

for Coronation in Annual Festivities

The crown bearer, Amy Wright and train bearers, Mark Gibson and Danny Jessen added the finishing touch to the event.

The Royal Court consisted of Doug Duff, Teresa Renwanz, Tom Lawton, Bill Taggart, Brenda Gleason, Marvin Kuebler, Randy Hoyt, Queen Debra Dudley, King Jeff Monthei, Honorary Queen Marianne Tschudi, Jeff Willison, Pat Taggart, Karen Barr, Dave Wolf, Jay Juergens, Karen Skalla, Valerie Dudley, Jeff Stevens, and Crown Bearer Amy Wright and Train Bearers Mark Gibson and Danny Jessen.

The Honorary Queen was Marianne Tschudi.

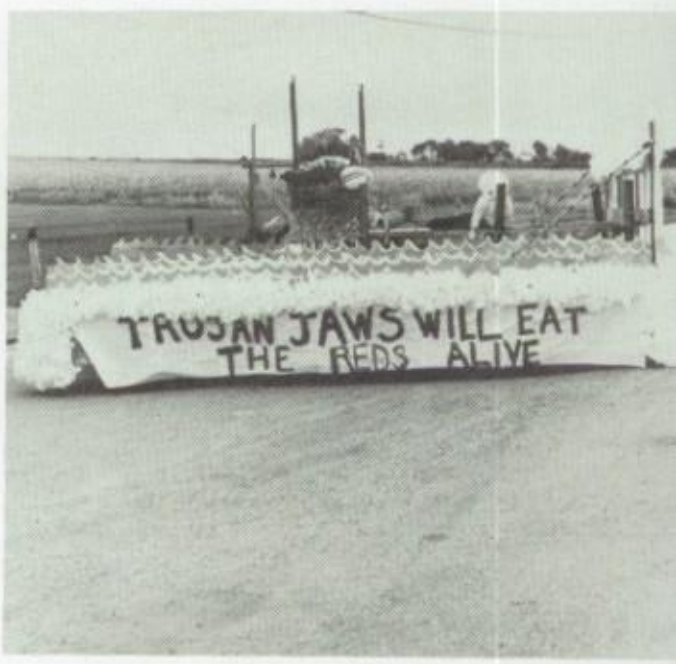
The crown and train bearers were first graders Danny Jessen, Amy Wright, and Mark Gibson.

Karen Barr, Jay Juergens, Steve Appel, and Brenda Gleason were the Senior Candidates for King and Queen.

Student Interest Enhances Parade

Following Homecoming traditions, floats were built to raise school spirit and to provide a way for students to exhibit their skills at construction. All of the classes enjoyed the challenge of attempting to surpass their fellow-students abilities by building these floats.

First place honors went to the Freshman class with the theme of "All We Need to Make the Reds Sorry is a Mousetrap." The Sophomore class grabbed second with "Our Battleships are Aimed to Sink the Reds." Capturing third place were the Juniors with the theme of "Trojan Jaws will Eat the Reds Alive." The senior class received fourth place with "Operation Domino Will Give the Reds a Headache."



The Sophomores obtained second place with "Our Battleships are Aimed to Sink the Reds."

"Trojan Jaws Will Eat the Reds Alive" gives the Juniors third place.

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Gong Show and Dance are Highlights

Long hours and hard work proved to be beneficial to all involved with this year's homecoming festivities.

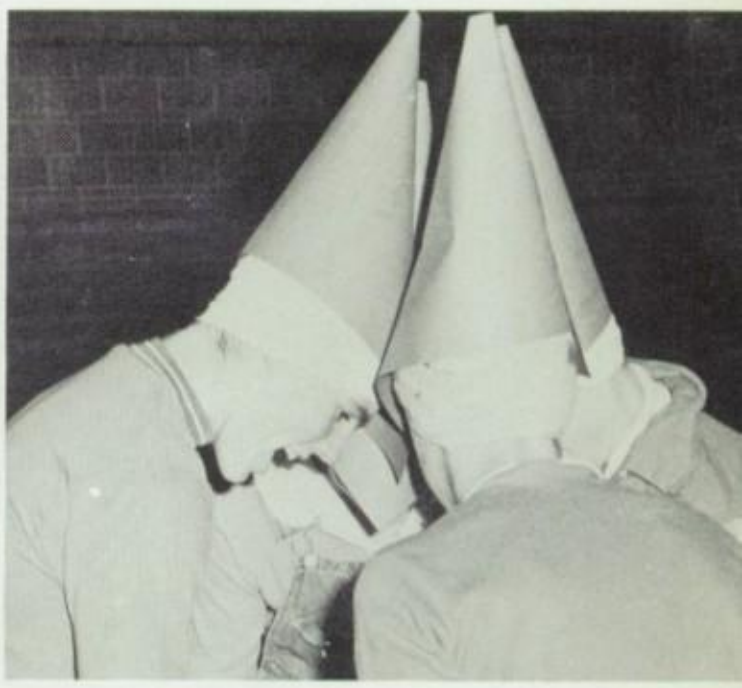
New additions enhanced the traditional festivities. A "Gong Show", held in lieu of the traditional Snake Dance, was sponsored by the cheerleaders. Some of the featured acts were a live "Worm Eater" the "Unknown Drummers", a special edition of the "Family Feud", and "Dan-Dan, the Dancing Man". The cheerleaders also held a short pep meeting.

After a Homecoming victory, spirit and enthusiasm were released at the pizza party and dance which followed the game. Disc-jockey Mitch Laub provided music, games, and prizes for those who were the winners of those games.

Danny Slocum disguises himself as "Dan-Dan, the Dancing Man" for the Gong Show.

Jeff Stevens attempts to dodge a Bayard player as he skillfully changes his direction.

After the football game, many students dance to the music of disc-jockey, Mitch Laub.



During the "Family Feud" game, Dave Esdohr and the other Cone-Reds discuss a question.

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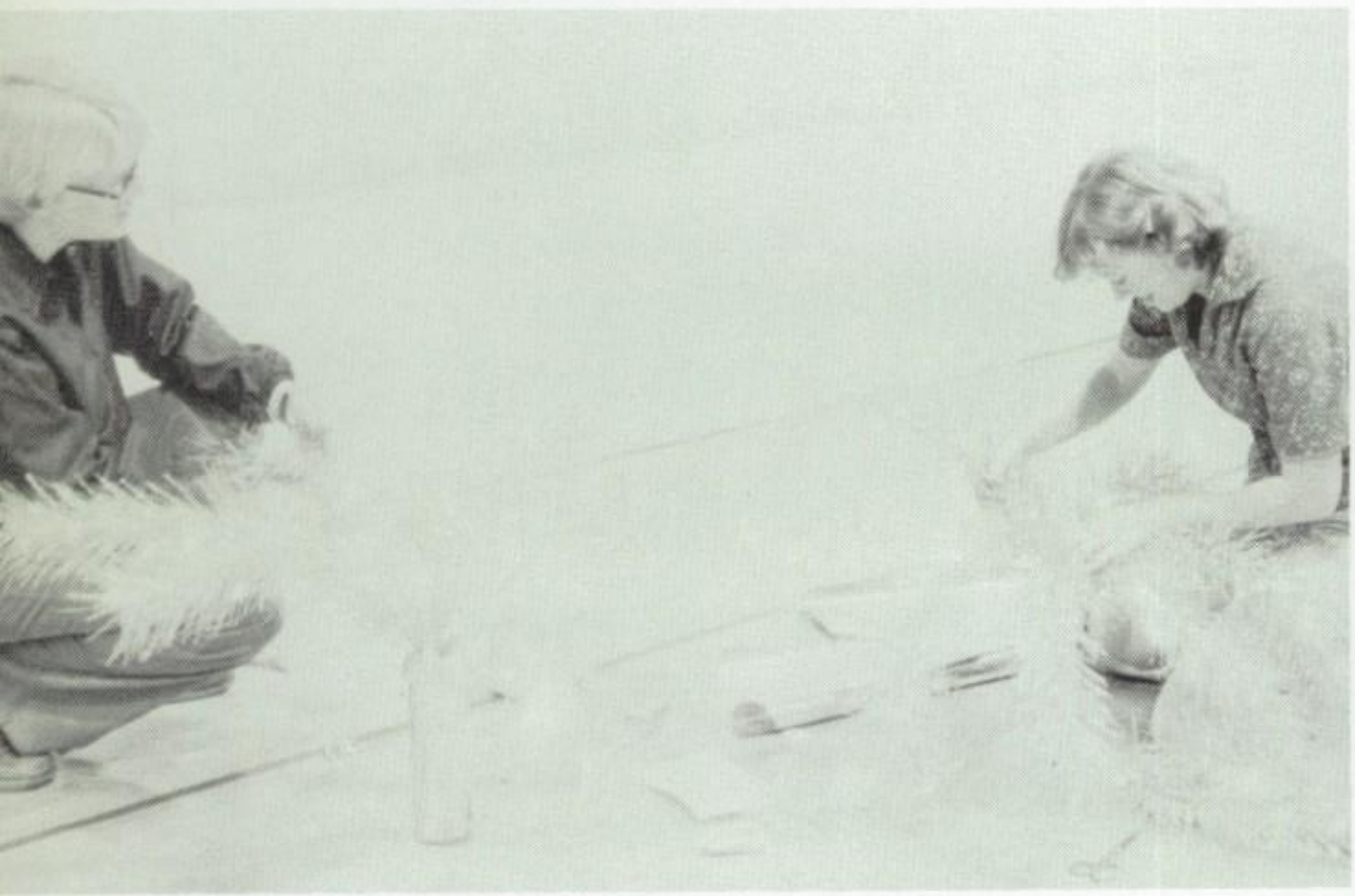
Juniors Utilize Their Imagination and

Hard work, decisions, and fun summarized the preparations for prom. First, was the selection of a theme. Keeping up with the times, the juniors chose the latest craze to sweep the country, disco. From there, preparations involved hiring someone to cater the banquet, ordering the decorations, and the selection of sophomore servers. One week before prom involved the decorating of the gym. For the first few days, all that could be seen was aluminum foil, wood beams, and crepe paper. By the end of the week, shiny walls, flashing lights and exotic decorations set the atmosphere and got all in the mood for disco dancing. The finishing touches were added when the disc jockey moved in his equipment, including an electric dance floor. The scene was complete and the Disco Palace was ready.



David Eberle and Nancy Fiedler begin to assemble the pieces of an aluminum palm tree together.

The fluorescent poster is securely stapled to the wall by David Eberle and John Esdohr.

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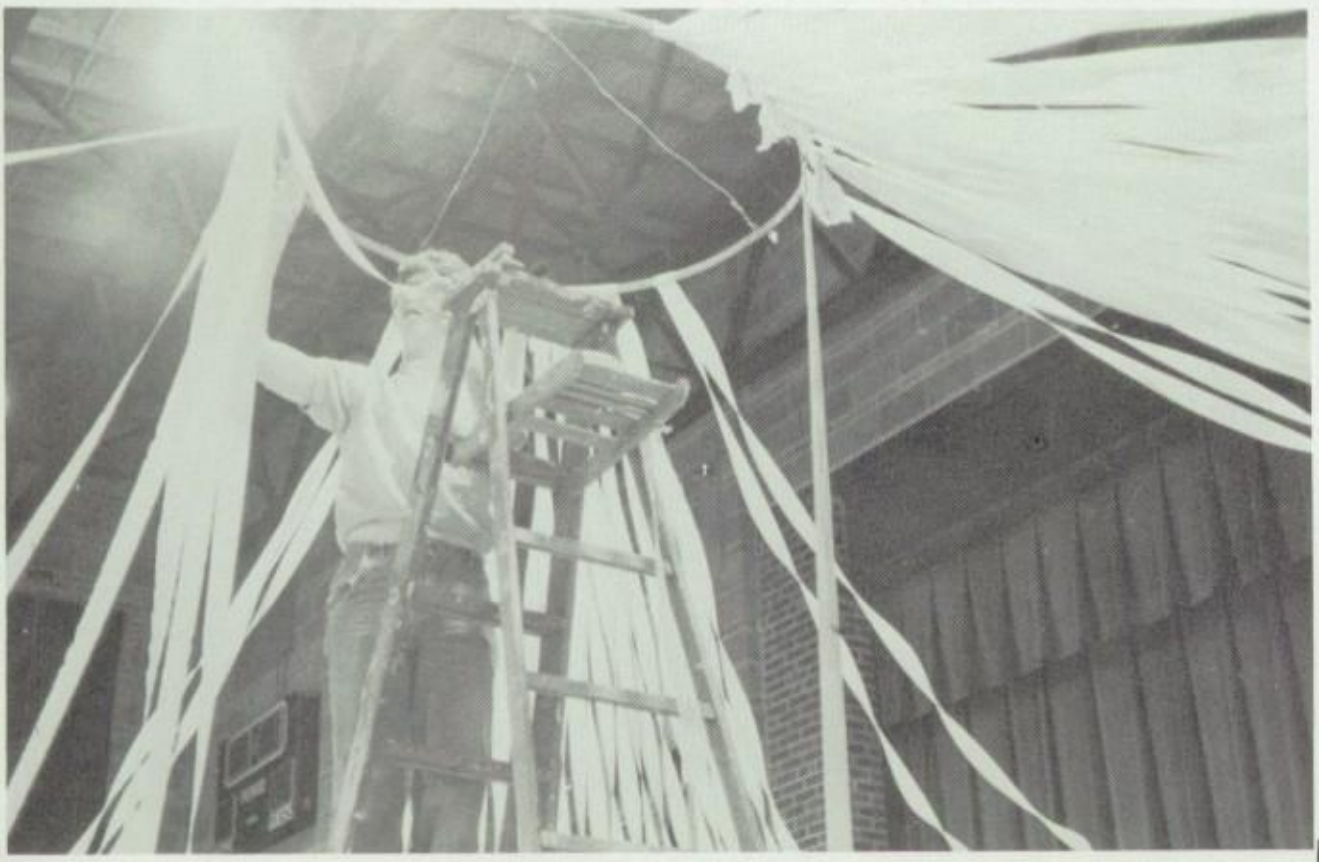
Creativity to Construct a Disco Palace



Mick Coellner and Chuck Holden try to determine which roll of streamers is supposed to go next.

Chuck Holden checks to see that the ring is properly balanced before adding more streamers.

Mick Coellner breaks the monotony of building prom by flexing his muscles.

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Decorations, Disc Jockey, and Light

The perfect weather and the glittery effect of the entrance hall set the mood for "Disco Fever". A fine meal consisting of rib-eye steak, baked potatoes, and a salad bar was catered by Mister D's of Glidden. The meal was served to the juniors, seniors, and other guests by the sophomores who were dressed in disco attire. The senior class Wills and Prophecies were read by Chuck Holden, a junior class member. The dance then started with music being provided by disc jockey, Jeff Jochims, from The Showroom, in Carroll. Throughout the evening, everyone enjoyed cake and punch.

Foozball and various other games were provided by the senior parents for those who were non-dancers or for those who needed a rest from all of the dancing. Doughnuts and milk were served at midnight to end prom festivities. It was considered by many to be a very good prom and will certainly be a night to remember.

PROM SERVERS—First Row: Kim Coellner, Trish Eason, Karen Taggart, Karen Skalla, Cindy Stevens. Second Row: Joe Gleason, Doug Gibson, Kevin Skalla, Jerry Slocum, Mike Hoyt.

Disc Jockey Jeff Jochims chooses another popular disco record.

Junior Chuck Holden reads the senior class wills and prophecies.

Show Help to Carry Out Disco Theme

Pat Taggart and Brenda Gleason get the disco beat.

Lisa Flack, Teresa Renwanz, and Joyce Dobson are served the dinner by sophomore Kevin Skalla.

Senior Doug Duff and his date, Pam Juergens, enjoy spending an evening together having dinner and dancing.

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Graduation Is an Ending That Offers

Thirteen years of hard work finally came to an end for 38 seniors on May 19. Dressed in pink and maroon gowns, they walked down the aisle to the strains of "Pomp and Circumstance."

Steve Appel sang "My Way," telling each senior that they must start doing things on their own and make their own decisions. He was accompanied by Lisa St. Peter.

All 38 seniors listened diligently to their guest speaker, Dr. Louis H. Valbrach. He talked about the future and its temptations.

Many facial expressions were shown by each student that night. From a solemn look as they walked down the aisle, to a smile as they walked across the stage and received their diploma and white rose. The final emotion was a sad one as they were congratulated by their family, friends, and classmates in the reception line following the graduation ceremony.

Each member of the Class of '79 will always remember that night even though they were all thinking about their futures. As they left, many thoughts were running through their minds, one was their class motto, "Life is full of endings, but every ending has a new beginning."

GRADUATES—First Row: Brenda Gleason, Terrie Stevens, Debra Dudley, Tammi Meckler, Jean Kienast, Polly Eason, Rochelle Hanks, Jana Christensen, Karen Barr, Lisa St. Peter, Charla Stubbe. Second Row: Jodie Frazier, Hallie Still, Debbie Hanson, Michelle Cornelius, Terry Ludwig, Delores Boyd, Kathleen Fiedler, Marianne Tschudi, Joan Nepple, Michelle Skalla, Terri Skalla. Third Row: Jon Park, Jeff Stevens, David Wolf, Fess Black, Chris Naylor, Danny Eslick, Jay Juergens. Fourth Row: Jeff Monthei, Tom Lawton, Pat Taggart, Marvin Kuebler, Randy Hoyt, Doug Duff, Jeff Willison, Steve Appel, Bill Taggart.

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the Seniors a Life of New Beginnings

As head ushers, Nancy Fiedler and Bill Renwanz lead the Seniors to their seats.

Randy Hoyt, Jeff Willison, Danny Eslick, Michelle Cornelius, and Marvin Kuebler make the final preparations for the evening.

Contemplating on the night's events, the graduates bow their heads in prayer.

Awarded Salutatorian and Valedictorian were Lisa St. Peter and Hallie Still.

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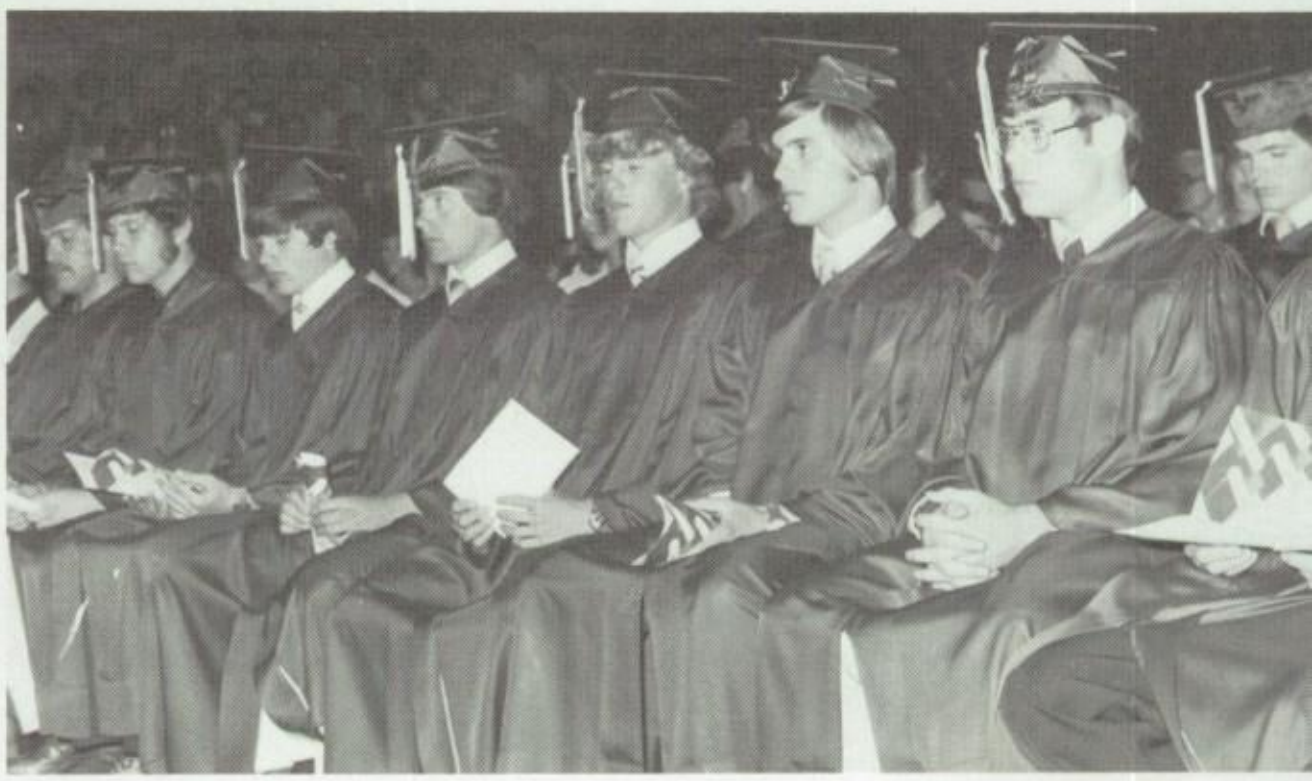
Practice, Preparation, and Excitement

Singing "My Way", Steve Appel captures the attention of his friends and classmates.



Preparing for Commencement, the Seniors practice to keep in step.

Total concentration engulfs the Seniors as they await the receiving of their diplomas.

All Lead Seniors to the Final Moment

Dr. Louis H. Valbrach delivered the Commencement address.

Besides special recognition, the Honor students received honor medallions.

Randy Hoyt and Michelle Cornelius lead the graduates out of the gym.

Mike Taggart offers his congratulations to Terry Ludwig, Rochelle Hanks, and Debbie Hanson.

Leading the fans in cheers is both fun and a responsibility for Pam Juergens.

Trish Eason tops off the sophomore pyramid during a pep meeting to raise school spirit.

The students were encouraged to participate during the frisbee demonstration.

Charla Stubbe and Mike Esdohr give Teresa Renwanz some helpful ideas for her clay project in Crafts class.

During the Senior trip to the Capital, Debbie Hanson talks to House of Representatives' page, Talawna Bane.

Jon Park and Steve Appel wait patiently for the prom meal to be served.

The dance which followed the Homecoming game provided the ending to a week full of activities.

Talawna Bane lent a hand in the Homecoming festivities by appearing as a clown.

One of the skits put on for the cheerleaders' Gong Show was the Student Council's "Family Feud", featuring the Cone Reds.

Jerry Slocum, Jeff Monthei, Todd Buswell, and Mike Hoyt display a variety of expressions as they analyze the umpire's call.

LuAnn Dobson displays her sewing talents as she models for the PTA Style Review.

Valerie Dudley performs a flag routine at the half-time of a football game.

Hallie Still steadies the ball for the opening kick-off for the AFS Powder Puff football game.

Homecoming queen, Debra Dudley, is helped down the stairs by the clowns, Talawna Bane and Debbie Hanson.

Making precise measurements for the stage backdrop are Chris Cornelius and Rosemary Skalla.

Getting into the spirit, Nancy Smouse displays her baggy pants and t-shirt.

Before the second half of the football game begins, the cheerleaders prepare the spirit sign for the players to run through.

With the help of their sponsor, David Wilson, the Junior-run stand went smoothly all football season.

GROUPS

Unique Pops Concert Presented by the

Under a new director, Charles Cooper, the instrumental department worked very hard. They began the year with marching band, by performing at half-time of each home football game. They also performed at two parades, the Homecoming and Carroll Band Day parades. Nancy Fiedler represented the band as a queen candidate.

After beginning concert band, the group prepared for concerts. During this time the pep and stage band were also working. A special feature was a pops concert combining the stage band and the concert band. A variety of styles were performed. The pep band worked hard to develop pieces to perform at half-time of basketball games.

A great amount of work went into the development of the various small groups and solos. The work was evident in the good ratings they received. There were four I's and six II's. They received a II at large group contest.

CONCERT BAND—First Row: Terri Park, Renae Jackson, Gail Naberhaus, Nancy Smouse, David Eberle, Polly Eason, Michelle Skalla, Janet Fiedler, Chris Bennett, Linda Eberle, Kendra Hoyt. Second Row: Becky Henning, Le Cox, Mike Stevens, Debi Naylor, Dee Dee Duff, Kathleen Fiedler, Roger Wright, Donald Christian, Karen Skalla, Nancy Fiedler, Jana Christensen. Third Row: Mike Taggart, David Esdohr, Mike Hoyt, John Skalla, Brian Hunter, Marty Paup, Tom Lawton, Karen Barr, Hallie Still, Doug Christian, Joe Gleason. Fourth Row: Director Charles Cooper, Shelly Barr, Kris Hoyt, Roger Hoyt, Mike Esdohr, Kevin Skalla, John Esdohr, Mike Gibson, Doug Gibson, Craig Peterson, Tom Naberhaus, Brad Paup. Fifth Row: Don Van Sickler, Kerry Weddle, Karen Taggart, Trish Eason, Jay Juergens, Terri Skalla, Chuck Holden, Steve Appel, Todd Buswell, Richard Appel.

BRASS QUARTET — Chuck Holden, John Skalla, Todd Buswell, Brian Hunter.

SOLOS—Nancy Fiedler, Kathleen Fiedler, John Esdohr, Jay Juergens, Marty Paup, Janet Fiedler.

Talents of Stage and Concert Bands

STAGE BAND—First Row: Lisa St. Peter, Hallie Still, Nancy Fiedler, Jana Christensen, Doug Christian, Joe Gleason. Second Row: Terri Skalla, Craig Peterson, Doug Gibson, John Esdohr, Steve Appel. Third Row: Jay Juergens, John Skalla, Marty Paup, Brian Hunter, Karen Barr, Tom Lawton.

With plenty of time to spare before the concert, Karen Barr takes her time getting out her uniform.

SAXOPHONE QUARTET — Nancy Fiedler, Jana Christensen, Hallie Still, Joe Gleason.

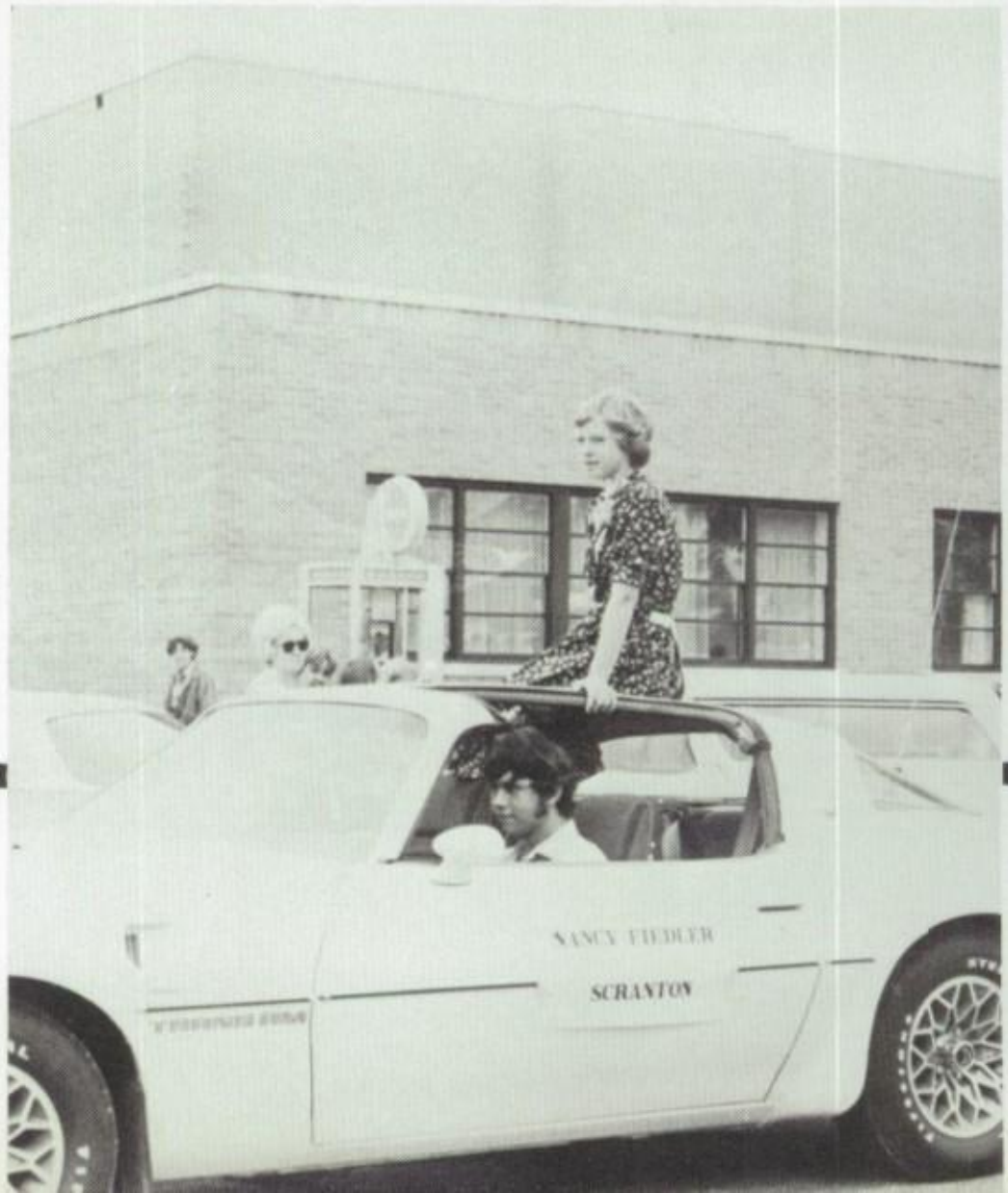
TWIRLERS—First Row: Michelle Skalla, Drum Majorette Karen Barr, Jana Christensen. Second Row: Linda Eberle, Kendra Hoyt, Becky Henning.

The marching band performs for half-time activities during one of the home football games.

SMALL GROUP DUETS—Steve Appel, Chuck Holden, Polly Eason, and Michelle Skalla.

Flag girl, Sue Ann Marks, joins the rest of the marching band for pregame activities.

Junior, Nancy Fiedler, represents SHS as a queen contestant at Carroll Band Day.



CHAMBER CHOIR—First Row: Lisa St. Peter, Pam Juergens, Nancy Smouse, Valerie Dudley, Missy Collins, Terri Skalla, Karen Taggart, Hallie Still, Renae Jackson, Polly Eason. Second Row: Michelle Skalla, Karen Skalla, Darwin Dudley, Steve Appel, Doug Duff, Tom Lawton, Shelly Barr, Brenda Gleason.

DOUBLE MIXED QUARTET—First Row: Brenda Gleason, Valerie Dudley, Missy Collins, Terri Skalla. Second Row: Darwin Dudley, Steve Appel, Doug Duff, Tom Lawton.

DUETS: Steve Appel, Missy Collins, Nancy Smouse, Tom Lawton.

SEXTET: Hallie Still, Lisa St. Peter, Michelle Skalla, Shelly Barr, and Terri Skalla. Not pictured—Brenda Gleason.

Studying Music Theory Contributes

Many long practices and hours of hard work provided the vocal department with another rewarding year. The students were taught the various techniques used to make good music such as proper breathing, tone placement, diction, and phrasing.

The vocalists performed at the annual fall, Christmas, and spring concerts, as well as entertaining many clubs in the community.

The year began with All-State tryouts, with one student, Steve Appel, being chosen for this honor chorus which performed at the Hilton Coliseum in Ames.

GIRLS GLEE—First Row: Kris Hoyt, Pam Juergens, Lisa St. Peter, Karen Taggart, Polly Eason, Chris Hanks, Kim Coellner, Terrie Stevens. Second Row: Renae Jackson, Hallie Still, Missy Collins, Terri Skalla, Shelly Barr, Nancy Smouse, Terri Park. Third Row: Valerie Dudley, Susan Egan, Brenda Gleason, Karen Skalla, Holly Hedges, Michelle Skalla, Dee Dee Duff, Teresa Renwanz.

Polly Eason, Trish Eason, and Nancy Smouse discuss the songs they will perform at the concert.

MADRIGAL—First Row: Pam Juergens, Nancy Smouse, Valerie Dudley, Missy Collins, Terri Skalla, Karen Taggart, Hallie Still, Renae Jackson. Second Row: Darwin Dudley, Karen Skalla, Chuck Holden, Steve Appel, Doug Duff, Brenda Gleason, Tom Lawton.

to Another Successful Year for Vocal

SOLOS — Steve Appel, Nancy Smouse, Doug Duff.

ALLSTATE — Steve Appel.

The preparation brought many rewards at both small and large group contests. At small group contest, three soloists received I's along with the girls sextet, double mixed quartet, madrigal, and the chamber choir.

At large group contest, which was held at Pomeroy, the Girls' Glee and Mixed Chorus received I ratings. An extra amount of time went into the rehearsals, as four songs were sung instead of the traditional two songs.

MIXED CHORUS—First Row: Susan Egan, Kris Hoyt, Valerie Dudley, Brenda Gleason, Karen Skalla, Missy Collins, Pam Juergens, Hallie Still, Karen Taggart, Nancy Smouse, Lisa St. Peter, Polly Eason, Terrie Stevens. Second Row: Kim Coellner, Teresa Renwanz, Marianne Tschudi, Trish Eason, Dee Dee Duff, Holly Hedges, Terri Skalla, Michelle Skalla, Shelly Barr, Sue Ann Marks, Tracie Spaulding, Chris Hanks, Renae Jackson, Terri Park. Third Row: Director Robert Reck, Mike Esdohr, David Eberle, Don Van Sickler, David Esdohr, Steve Appel, Doug Duff, Tom Lawton, Chuck Holden, Darwin Dudley.

The girls glee hum the pitch of their song while Mr. Reck announces it to the audience.

Staffs Record Current Student Events

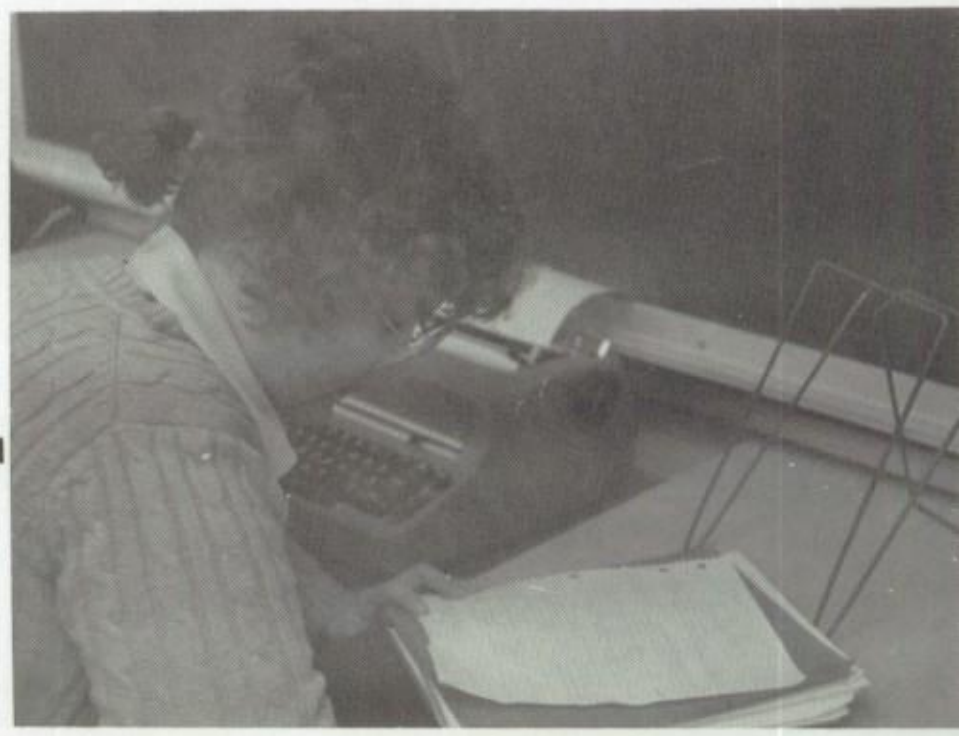
Covering the day-to-day happenings of SHS were the editors and staff of the Trojan Torch. Senior interviews were written by assistant editors. Three special issues, a spirit issue, a christmas issue, and a senior issue, were written. Along with the special features, regular items were kept up-to-date.

By reopening the darkroom, the yearbook staff worked on printing many of their own pictures this year. During the previous summer, editor Jodie Frazier attended a workshop to learn the basics of producing a yearbook. She then supervised the work at the meetings which included writing copy, typing, and tool taping pages.

YEARBOOK STAFF—First Row: Co-Ass't. Ed. Pam Juergens, Ed. Jodie Frazier, Co-Ass't. Ed. Lisa St. Peter. Second Row: Janet Fiedler, Jana Christensen, no longer on the staff Karen Taggart, no longer on the staff Nancy Fiedler. Third Row: Michelle Cornelius, Advisor Judie Frazey, Kim Coellner, and Terri Skalla. Not pictured—Debra Dudley.

NEWSPAPER STAFF—First Row: Michelle Cornelius. Second Row: Co-Ed. Jana Christensen, Co-Ed. Polly Eason. Third Row: Ass't. Ed. Trish Eason, Ass't. Ed. Pam Juergens, Brenda Gleason.

Kim Coellner, Jodie Frazier, and Lisa St. Peter look for new ideas at a yearbook workshop.



Editing the Torch news is a weekly job for Jana Christensen.

Seven Speeches Reach State Contest

Portraying the part of a very young girl takes a lot of practice on actions for Jana Christensen.

Hard work and practice during the year paid off for the thirteen students who participated in speech contest. The students entered large group and individual contests. One duet act was taken by Trish Eason and Missy Collins. Twelve students took part in the conference and district speech contests. Six people received ones at district and went on to compete in state competition. Polly Eason, Chuck Holden, Jana Christensen, and DeeDee Duff received ones there.

SPEECH CONTESTANTS—First Row: Missy Collins, Jodie Frazier, Pam Juergens, Kris Hoyt, Polly Eason, Nancy Smouse, Jana Christensen, Holly Hedges. Second Row: Sponsor Beverly Lehman, Doug Duff, Chuck Holden, Janet Fiedler, Dee Dee Duff, Trish Eason, Chris Bennett.

Voice and facial expression are very important for Chuck Holden as he reads his humorous speech.

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Stu. Council Plans Conference Awards

The student council helped support the successful teams by selling bumper stickers and T-shirts. They once again sponsored the annual Christmas movie. This year they chose "Breakheart Pass" starring Charles Bronson. Disc jockey, Mitch Laub, returned to provide music for the Homecoming victory dance. A special spirit meeting was held at Paton-Churdan by Josten's. This meeting was for the entire CVAC conference and gave many ideas on promoting school spirit.

After showing the qualities of character, leadership, service, and scholarship, eight new members were inducted into the National Honor Society. The induction service was led by previous members Hallie Still and Michelle Skalla.

STUDENT COUNCIL—First Row: Sponsor Mr. Larry Cox, Sec.—Tres. Trish Eason, Pres. Hallie Still, Vice-pres. Michelle Skalla, and Honorary member Marianne Tschudi. Second Row: Steve Appel, Talawna Bane, Pam Juergens, Lisa St. Peter, Renae Jackson, Mike Esdohr, Dave Esdohr, and Mick Coellner.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY—First Row: Terri Skalla, Brenda Gleason, and Lisa St. Peter. Second Row: Chuck Holden, Mick Coellner, Doug Duff, Steve Appel, and Jeff Monthei.

Doug Duff lights his candle during the initiation ceremony while other new members look on.

Outstanding artist, Chris Cornelius, receives a savings bond from Nancy Reese.

In the absence of Mrs. Lehman, Mr. Cox presents speech contestants with certificates and medals.

Senior, Jeff Monthei, receives the Good Citizenship award from Jim Pauley.

First year chorus members receive their awards and letters from Robert Reck.

Enthusiasm Sparked by Cheerleaders

The cheerleaders had plenty to cheer about as all the teams had very successful seasons. They went to three clinics this year, two of which were at Iowa State, and one was a conference clinic. New things were added to the pep meetings, such as riding tricycles, building pyramids, and being elves at Christmas. The basketball cheerleaders made up a pom-pon routine and performed in front of spectators at a game.

VARSITY BASKETBALL CHEERLEADERS—Pam Juergens, Jodie Frazier, Debbie Dudley, Polly Eason, and Lisa St. Peter.

J.V. FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS—Kris Hoyt, Renae Jackson, Dee Dee Duff, and Terri Park.

During a timeout, the basketball cheerleaders ignite spirit and enthusiasm.

VARSITY FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS—Nancy Smouse, Debbie Dudley, Jodie Frazier, Karen Taggart, Polly Eason, and Pam Juergens.

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Pep Club Encourages School Spirit

PEP CLUB—First Row: Terri Skalla, Lisa St. Peter, Hallie Still, Michelle Skalla, Dee Dee Duff, Debbie Naylor, and Advisor Mrs. Susan Murray. Second Row: Nancy Smouse, Missy Collins, Pam Juergens, Jodie Frazier, Polly Eason, Kris Hoyt, Renae Jackson, Terri Park, and Karen Skalla. Third Row: Shelly Barr, Trish Eason, Tracie Spaulding, Kim Coellner, Michelle Cornelius, Joan Nepple, Nancy Fiedler, Valerie Dudley, and Karen Taggart.

S-CLUB—First Row: Tom Lawton, Bill Taggart, Randy Hoyt, Jeff Stevens, Jay Juergens, David Wolf, Doug Duff, Doug Gibson, and Bob Kuebler. Second Row: Brenda Gleason, Trish Eason, Michelle Skalla, Hallie Still, Mike Hoyt, Kevin Skalla, Joe Gleason, Jerry Slocum, Pat Murphy, and Bill Renwanz. Third Row: Nancy Fiedler, Tracie Spaulding, Gail Naberhaus, Polly Eason, Karen Taggart, Teresa Renwanz, Joyce Dobson, Lisa Flack, and Brenda Stubbe. Fourth Row: Steve Appel, Terri Skalla, Karen Barr, Kathleen Fiedler, Joan Nepple, Rochelle Hanks, Delores Boyd, Charla Stubbe, Terri Park, and Kim Coellner. Fifth Row: Joe Fisher, Wayne Dobson, Mick Coellner, Pat Taggart, Jeff Monthei, Steve Gibson, Todd Buswell, Doug Christian, and Chuck Holden.

This year the pep club was busy with many projects. In the fall they decided to raise money for an exhaust fan for the girl's locker room. To raise money, they had a bake sale on Homecoming at the parade. They also used some of this money to help the cheerleaders pay to go to a clinic. In February, they sponsored a dance. The band "Street Legal" played, and the club supplied refreshments. They had a great turn out. They gave money to the cheerleaders to go to cheerleading camp during the summer. Some of the funds were used to purchase corsages for the cheerleaders.

This year's president was Hallie Still; vice-president was Lisa St. Peter; and secretary treasurer was Trish Eason.

Dorothy Anderson shares the joy that her husband, Kenny, felt when he received the Fan of the Year award.

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Aides and Librarians Perform Tasks

Office aides and assistant librarians are a big help to secretaries and faculty. Their duties relieved the faculty and secretaries from running errands and tedious chores.

The office aides took phone messages and picked up and recorded attendance slips. They also ran off masters and put up bulletin boards.

While Mrs. Still was away, student librarians kept the library in order. They kept busy by arranging shelves, checking out books and keeping filing cards in order.

These student aides received certificates for their assistance at the awards ceremony.

LIBRARIANS—Lori Venteicher, Laura Renwanz, Cindy Stevens, Chris Hanks, Brenda Stubbe, Teresa Renwanz, Charla Stubbe, Kathleen Fiedler.

Doing her job, Laura Renwanz checks out a book to Chris Bennett.

OFFICE AIDES—Lisa St. Peter, Joyce Dobson, Rosemary Skalla, Pam Juergens.

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FFA Sponsors Breakfast for Faculty

FFA consisted of 11 members. Every student either started or continued to work on a farm project of their own. During the fall, the FFA Test Plot yielded a substantial profit. Another money making project was the selling of fruit and cheese to the community. With some of this money, the boys served the faculty breakfast to show their appreciation for the support they were given during the year. The annual FFA Banquet was held for the parents, teachers, students, and alumni to watch the presentation of the awards. Also, four members were able to attend the State FFA convention which was held at Waterloo. The FFA also helped with a BOAC project which was the construction of a teeter totter for the school.

FFA—First Row: Advisor Dennis Hoyt, Randy Hoyt, Bill Taggart, Doug Duff, Jeff Willison. Second Row: John Loeffler, Mike Gibson, Joe Gleason, Tom Lawton, Craig Peterson, Doug Christian, Wayne Dobson.

John Loeffler practices his FFA Creed for contest.

Doug Duff is in charge of the eggs at the faculty breakfast.

Jeff Willison checks the FFA fruit to be sure of its quality.

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SPORTS

Softball Girls Seize CVAC First Place

Scranton's first conference softball crown came with a record of 12-2 for the 1977-78 season. Brenda Gleason led the team in batting with an average .434. Michelle Skalla, Trish Eason, and Linda Eason received first team all conference honors, with Skalla a unanimous choice. Brenda Gleason was named to the all conference second team as catcher. Karen Barr was named to the honorable mention team as an infielder.

VARSITY SOFTBALL—First Row: Missy Collins, Karen Barr, Linda Eason, Michelle Skalla, Brenda Gleason. Second Row: Terri Park, Nancy Fiedler, Trish Eason, Joyce Dobson, Janet Fiedler, Nancy Smouse, and Coach Delayne Hopkins.

J.V. SOFTBALL—First Row: LuAnn Dobson, Terri Park, Missy Collins, Shelly Barr, Renae Jackson, and Kris Hoyt. Second Row: Coach Delayne Hopkins, Trish Eason, Debi Naylor, Dee Dee Duff, Janet Fiedler, and Nancy Fiedler.

Quick reactions help Brenda Gleason make an important catch.

VARSITY SOFTBALL

SHS		OPP.
6	YJB	5
15	Bayard	11
9	Coon Rapids	0
0	Paton Churdan	9
13	Glidden Ralston	9
13	East Greene	8
15	Cedar Valley	5
6	YJB	1
11	Bayard	10
9	Coon Rapids	1
10	Paton Churdan	6
4	East Greene	5
9	Cedar Valley	3
15	Glidden Ralston	5
8	Manilla	4
9	Central Webster	0
7	Central Webster	1
7	Carroll Kuemper	8
7	*East Greene	5
13	*Jefferson	1
12	*Bayard	1
9	**Dallas Center	11

*Sectionals
**Districts

Baseball Boys Hold Successful Season

VARSITY BASEBALL—First Row: Chuck Holden, Dave Esdohr, Jerry Slocum, Mike Hoyt, Doug Gibson, John Esdohr, Mike Taggart. Second Row: Jeff Monthei, Pat Murphy, Jay Juergens, Curt Eason, Bob Slocum, John Skalla, Todd Buswell, Coach Mike Sherwood.

The Trojan baseball team ended with a conference record of 10 wins and 4 losses, which gave them a second place conference standing. Their overall record for the 1977-78 season was 12-8.

Chuck Holden and Jeff Monthei received first team all-conference honors at second base and shortstop respectively. Steve Appel, Jerry Slocum, and Curt Eason took second team honors, while Kent Citurs received honorable mention recognition.

Eason, Holden, and Appel were the teams top hitters with averages of .417, .397, .367.

A productive season was the end result of long practice and a lot of determination.

ALL CONFERENCE — First Row: Michelle Skalla, Brenda Gleason, Trish Eason, Karen Barr. Second Row: Jerry Slocum, Jeff Monthei, Chuck Holden, Steve Appel.

Jay Juergens looks intent as he winds up to pitch.

VARSITY BASEBALL

SHS		OPP.
8	Rockwell City	9
0	Y.J.B.	12
6	Bayard	3
13	Coon Rapids	0
4	Carroll Kuemper (J.V.)	12
8	Paton Churdan	10
2	Glidden-Ralston	3
5	East Greene	4
12	Carroll	1
2	Carroll Kuemper (Varsity)	3
14	Cedar Valley	4
3	Y.J.B.	5
7	Bayard	1
8	Coon Rapids	5
14	Paton Churdan	8
10	Glidden-Ralston	5
13	East Greene	3
19	Cedar Valley	9
10	*Y.J.B.	9
10	*East Greene	11

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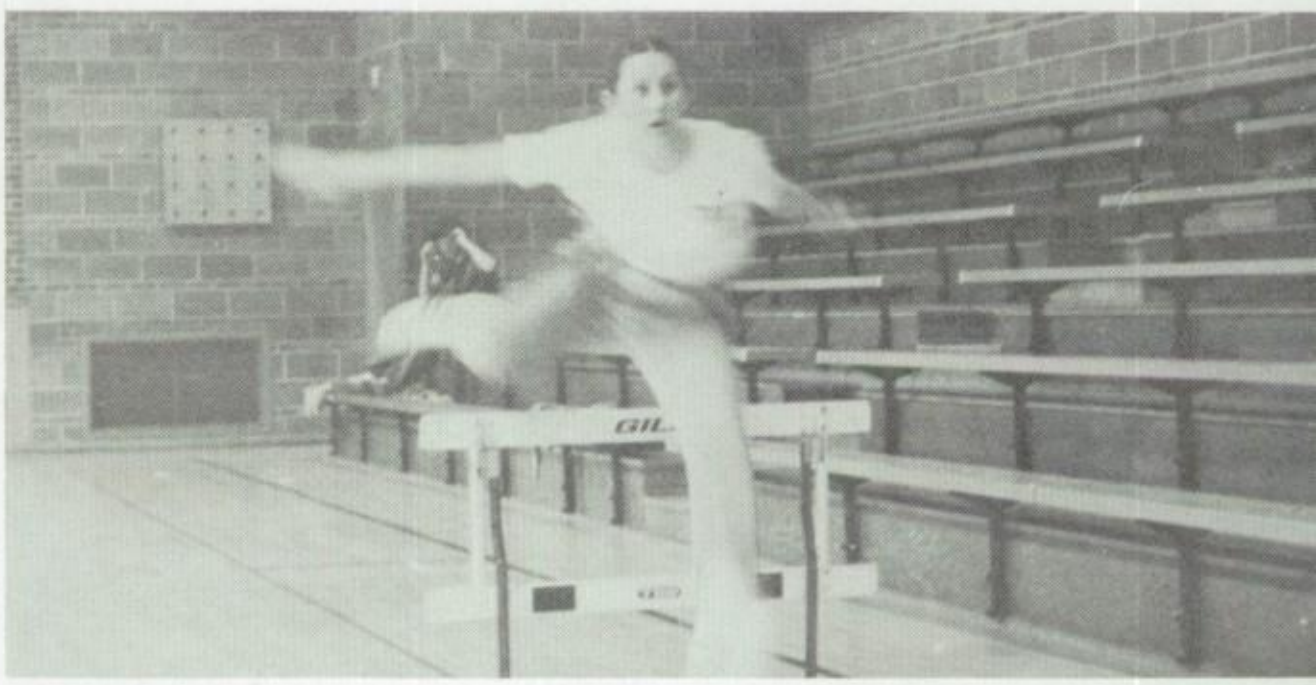
Trojanette Squad Plagued by Injuries

This year's girl's track team consisted of twenty-one members. Seven of the members were seniors and were helpful to the team. The team did better this year than in years before because they could score points in distance running, sprinting, and field events. At the district meet, the sprint medley team of Valerie Dudly, Terri Park, Terri Skalla, and Michelle Skalla got fourth place. Although not every girl scored points for the team, each girl put forth effort and tried her best. Injuries plagued the team at the end of the season.

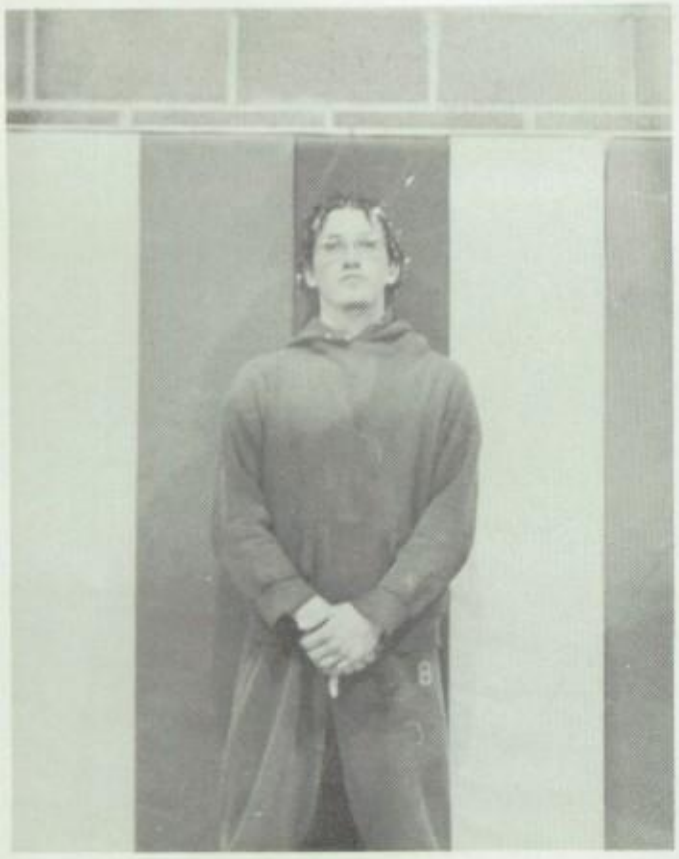
VARSITY GIRLS TRACK—First Row: Nancy Smouse, Trish Eason, Terri Skalla, Karen Barr, Valerie Dudley, Michelle Skalla, Hallie Still. Second Row: Susan Egan, Renae Jackson, Kris Hoyt, Brenda Gleason, Shelly Barr, Kim Coellner, Dee Dee Duff. Third Row: Terri Park, Gail Naberhaus, Tracie Spaulding, Sue Ann Marks, Debi Naylor, Kathleen Fiedler, Joan Nepple. Fourth Row: Coach Delayne Hopkins.

Daily workouts help Debi Naylor and Nancy Smouse get in condition for the meets.



Building up plenty of speed takes Hallie Still up and over the hurdles.

Eight Track Events Qualify for State



Junior, Darwin Dudley competed in boys cross country.

The boys track team had a very successful season this year. They won seven out of nine meets and received second in the other two. The main meets that the boys won were District and Conference. At the Conference meet they earned six first places. At the Hawk Invitational Relays they scored the most points of the season with one hundred and one-half points. At the District meet seven boys qualified for State. The events that qualified were the 880 and 440 yard relay teams, whose members were Jeff Stevens, Bill Renwanz, Jay Juergens, and Kevin Skalla. Jay Juergens competed in the long jump and Kevin Skalla in the high jump. Mick Coellner went with the shot put, Wayne Dobson ran the 110 meter high hurdles and the 400 meter low hurdles, and Darwin Dudley ran the mile. Although the boys didn't receive any places at the state meet, they enjoyed participating in it.

VARSITY BOYS TRACK—First Row: Darwin Dudley, Bill Taggart, Jeff Stevens, Jeff Monthei, Jerry Slocum, Chuck Holden. Second Row: David Skalla, Mike Gison, Craig Peterson, John Skalla, Kevin Skalla, Mick Coellner, Don Van Sickler. Third Row: Joe Gleason, Todd Buswell, Jay Juergens, Marvin Kuebler, Doug Gibson, Wayne Dobson, Bill Renwanz, Coach Bob Howard.

Jay Juergens exerts that final effort to gain a few more inches and win a medal.

Excellent Trojan Team Reaches State

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL—FIRST ROW: Ass't Coach Mike Sherwood, Randy Hoyt, Jeff Monthei, Doug Duff, Pat Taggart, Marvin Kuebler, Dave Wolf, Jeff Stevens, Jay Juergens, Jeff Willison, Steve Appel, and Bill Taggart. SECOND ROW: Ass't Coach Keavin Hill, Robert Caquelin, Bob Kuebler, Joe Fisher, Mick Coellner, Bill Renwanz, Chuck Holden, Steve Gibson, Pat Murphy, Wayne Dobson, Todd Buswell, Doug Christian, and Marty Paup. THIRD ROW: Mike Hove, Jeff Baker, David Skalla, Joe Gleason, Doug Gibson, Kevin Skalla, Mike Hoyt, John Skalla, Mike Taggart, Mike Gibson, Craig Peterson, and Don Van Sickler. FOURTH ROW: Head Coach Bob Howard.

Steve Appel makes the tackle while Dave Wolf runs for the touchdown.

Bill Taggart prepares for the tackle while Jay Juergens makes an interception.

Playoffs through an Unbeaten Season

ALL-CONFERENCE—FIRST ROW: Bill Renwanz, Pat Taggart, Doug Duff, Wayne Dobson, Kevin Skalla, and Steve Appel. SECOND ROW: Jeff Monthei, Dave Wolf, Jay Juergens, and Mick Coellner.

The 1978-79 football season proved to be a successful one for head coach Bob Howard and the Scranton Trojans as they won the CVAC championship and played their first state playoff game.

The Trojans' 9-1 record was Scranton's best in the past twenty years. They were also the first undefeated conference team to win the football crown.

Ten Trojans were placed on All Conference teams and their head coach was chosen this year's Conference Coach of the Year.

Unanimous first team honors went to Pat Taggart—offense and defense, and Dave Wolf—receiver and defense. Other first team choices were Jeff Monthei—line backer, Doug Duff—offense, Jay Juergens and Steve Appel—offense and defense.

Second team choices included quarterback Mick Coellner, Doug Duff, Kevin Skalla, and Wayne Dobson—defense, offense, and defense, respectively. Bill Renwanz received honorable mention—offense.

Four players received the honor of being chosen to the Southwest Iowa Team. This team consists of players from both 1-A and 2-A football teams. Pat Taggart received first team and Mick Coellner second team. Doug Duff and Jeff Monthei received honorable mention.

The Des Moines Register All-State team named three Trojans. Dave Wolf and Pat Taggart were named to second team, while Mick Coellner received special mention honors.

HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL

SHS		OPP.
28	Lake City	0
54	Cedar Valley	7
44	YJB	6
18	Coon Rapids	7
13	Bayard	6
49	Paton Churdan	0
22	Glidden Ralston	20
47	East Greene	6
73	Central Webster	12
0	*Manilla	14

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Steve Appel, Pat Taggart, and Wayne Dobson use Trojan team effort to recover a fumble.

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Trojanette Team Captures Their First

After a year of rebuilding, the Trojanette team proved that experience is the best teacher. The team gave Scranton its first title crown in basketball. As co-champions of the Central Valley Conference, the girls ended their season with a record of 13-1.

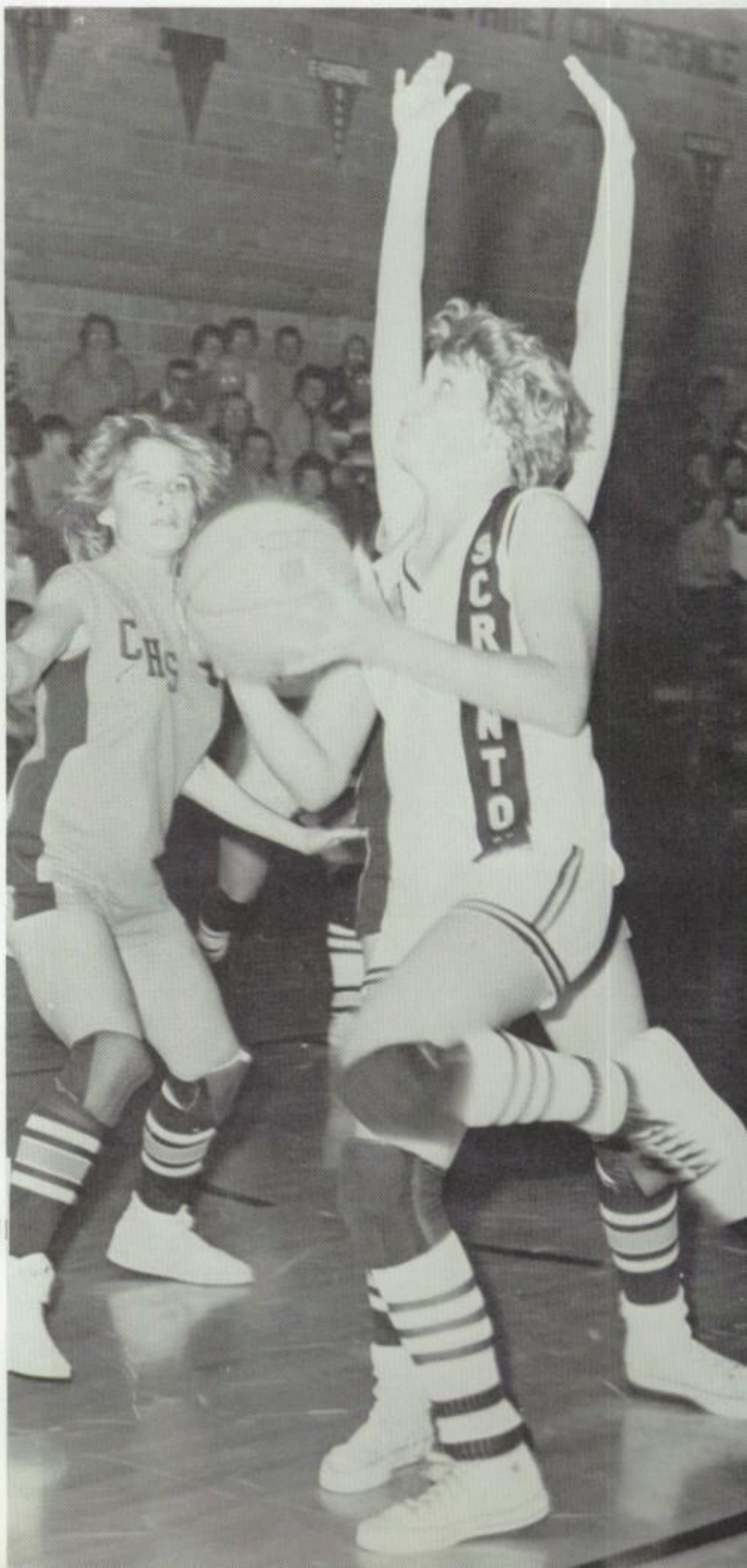
Pre-season conditioning consisted of many ball handling and shooting drills, and an occasional game of soccer. But the majority of the conditioning proved to be well worth the effort that each girl put forth.

Defensively the girls led the conference by allowing their opponents an average of 52.8 points per game. Offensively, the Trojanettes averaged 63.2 points per game.

Karen Barr, Michelle Skalla, and Terri Skalla were selected to first team all conference as guard, forward, guard respectively. Both Michelle and Terri were unanimous choices. Seniors Brenda Gleason and Hallie Still received honorable mention and second team honors. Michelle and Terri were also awarded honorable mention and fourth team all state honors. Terri Skalla received third team honors on the IDPA team.

ALL CONFERENCE—First Row: Karen Barr, Terri Skalla, Hallie Still. Second Row: Michelle Skalla, Brenda Gleason.

Trish Eason drives around her opponent and concentrates on scoring two points.



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CVAC Basketball Championship Crown

GIRLS VARSITY BASKETBALL

SHS		OPP.
40	Boone	47
71	Carroll	55
40	Lake View	54
63	East Greene	54
55	Central Webster	43
73	Cedar Valley	55
45	Carroll (Kuemper)	61
69	YJB	49
63	Bayard	31
63	Coon Rapids	50
72	Paton Churdan	75
84	Glidden Ralston	50
57	East Greene	54
67	Cedar Valley	48
71	Bayard	49
55	Coon Rapids	42
72	Paton Churdan	69
76	Glidden Ralston	59
69	YJB	46
59	*Carroll	65

*Sectionals

VARSITY GIRLS BASKETBALL—First Row: Terri Park, Faye Olerich, Joan Nepple, Hallie Still, Michelle Skalla, Terri Skalla, Brenda Gleason, Karen Barr, Trish Eason, Shelly Barr, Joyce Dobson. Second Row: Karen Skalla, Karen Taggart, Holly Hedges, Debi Naylor, Janet Fiedler, Missy Collins, Nancy Fiedler, Dee Dee Duff, Valerie Dudley, Susan Egan, Denise Hanks, Rhonda Hupp, Renae Jackson. Third Row: Manager Terrie Stevens, Manager Charla Stubbe, Manager Tammi Meckler, Coach Delayne Hopkins, Manager Michelle Cornelius, Kim Coellner, Nancy Smouse, Marianne Tschudi, Netty Stevens, Kris Hoyt, Manager Kathleen Fiedler, Manager Jana Christensen, Manager Barb Renwanz, Manager Sue Ann Marks.

Karen Barr, Hallie Still, and Terri Skalla use tough defense to keep their opponents away from the basket.

Hard Practice and Teamwork Effort

Placing one better than last year in the conference, the Trojan team took second in the CVAC. An overall record of 18 wins and 4 losses, and a conference record of 15 wins and 3 losses showed just how much hard work and determination was put forth by the Scranton Trojan Basketball team.

At the end of the season, they defeated Paton-Churdan in the first round of sectionals, and squeaked by Guthrie Center to become the sectional champs. They were defeated by statebound Ogden Bulldogs in the first round of districts.

The team consisted of eleven players, four of whom were seniors. Three boys from the Trojan team were honored by being selected for all conference. They were Steve Appel and Jeff Monthei, being named to the second team all-conference, and Dave Wolf being named to the first team all-conference. Dave Wolf also received honorable mention for all-state.

Not only did the Trojans have a great season, but Coach Dalton also had another reason to be pleased, he was able to celebrate his 100th victory. During halftime, Ingvert Appel presented Coach Dalton with a basketball which had been signed by the majority of boys he had coached in the past. The boys stood in his honor.

VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL—First Row: Jeff Baker, Chris Bennett, David Skalla, Mike Gibson, Mike Esdohr, Craig Peterson. Second Row: Todd Buswell, David Esdohr, Doug Gibson, Jerry Slocum, John Skalla, Joe Gleason, Mike Hoyt, Chuck Holden. Third Row: Wayne Dobson, Bill Renwanz, Pat Murphy, Jeff Monthei, David Wolf, Steve Appel, Jay Juergens, Mick Coellner, Kevin Skalla. Not pictured—Head Coach John Dalton.

Varsity Boys Basketball

SHS		OPP
35	Carroll	61
41	Lake View	36
65	East Greene	35
62	Central Webster	56
59	Cedar Valley	36
82	YJB	73
57	Bayard	55
93	Coon Rapids	31
50	Paton Churdan	47
53	Glidden Ralston	56
86	East Greene	29
81	Cedar Valley	61
53	Bayard	45
62	Coon Rapids	60
64	Paton Churdan	65
71	YJB	54
64	Breda	53
58	Glidden Ralston	51
59	*Paton Churdan	51
63	*Gutherie Center	62
45	*Bayard	32
54	**Ogden	64

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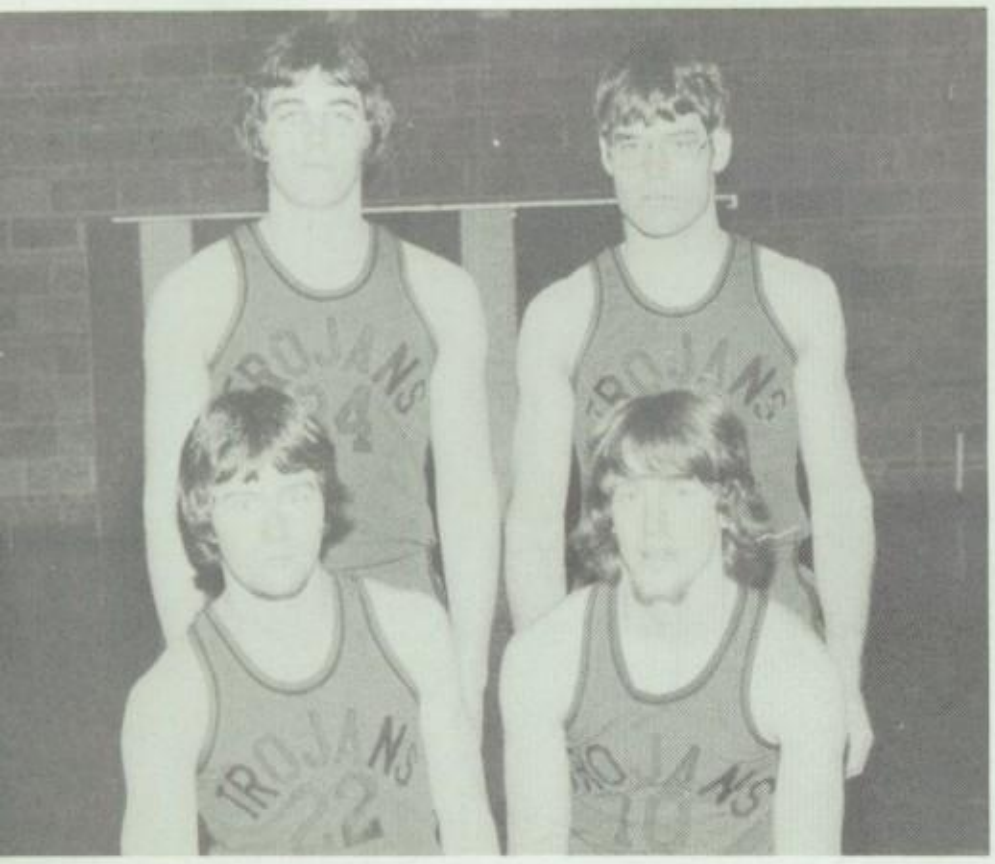
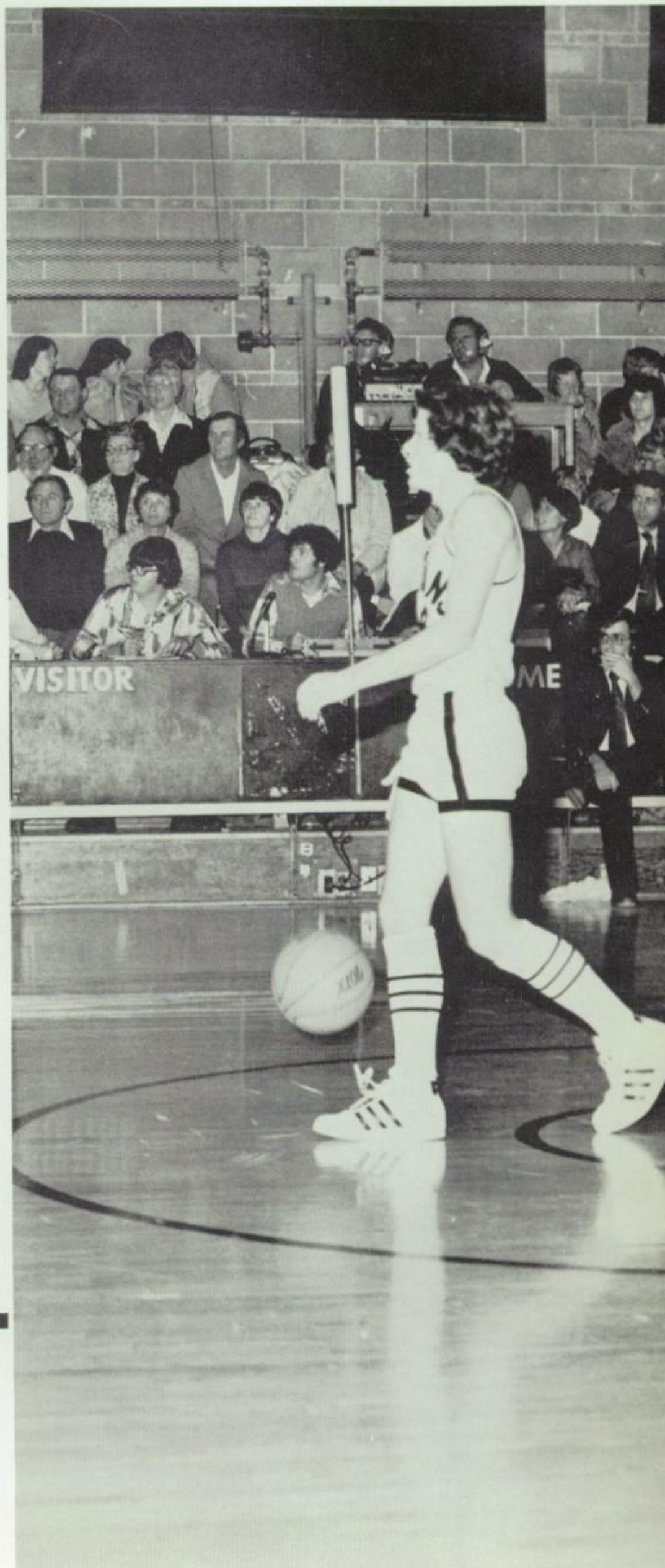
Wins Sectionals for the Trojan Squad



VARSITY SENIORS—First Row: Jay Juergens, David Wolf. Second Row: Steve Appel, Jeff Monthei.



Although Jeff Monthei is surrounded by the opponents, he continues his attempt to score.

Pat Murphy looks to see if the Trojans are ready for the next play as he takes the ball down court.

Jr. High Football Boys Develop Skills

JR. HIGH FOOTBALL—First Row: Mike Spaulding, Larry Grantz, Brad Paup, Roger Wright, Mike Stevens, Roger Hoyt, Tom Naberhaus, Larry Gustoff. Second Row: Jon Baker, Daniel Skalla, Shawn Ludwig, Brad Juergens, Joe Weddle, Dan Egan, Paul McCauley, Sean Sailer, Richard Appel, Dee Jay Byerly. Third Row: Troy Gibson, Tracy Chandler, Stacy Gibson, Don Christian, Kenny Stevens, Randy Hupp, Jeff Worshek, Phillip Fiedler, Matt McDonald.

The proper techniques were worked on by the Jr. High football team this year. Coach John Dalton used the daily practice to stress the fundamentals of good football.

Even with all the hard work, the boys came up with a disappointing record of 1-4. In their first game they overcame YJB with a score of 14-0, but the other four games left them with the short end of the score.

While not having a winning record, the techniques learned will be valuable for future playing.

JR. HIGH FOOTBALL CHEERLEADERS — First Row: Kerry Weddle. Second Row: Le Cox, Mary Lou Nepple. Third Row: Kendra Hoyt.

SHS		OPP
14	YJB	0
8	Coon Rapids	38
12	Paton Churdan	26
0	Bayard	12
8	Glidden	14

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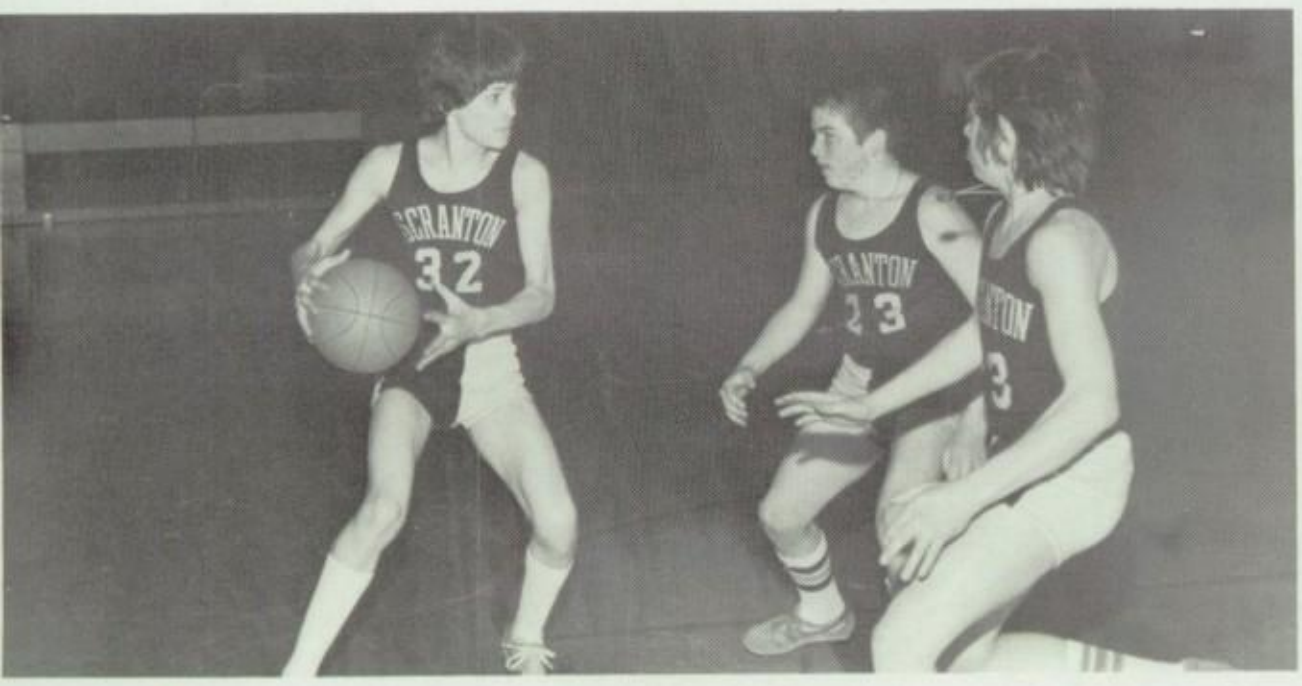
Basketball Provides Useful Experience

JR. HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL—First Row: Brad Juergens, Matt McDonald, Jon Baker, Joe Weddle, Jeff Worshek, Shawn Ludwig, and John Abernathy. Second Row: Troy Gibson, Tom Naberhaus, Roger Hoyt, Larry Gustoff, Roger Wright, Mike Stevens, Don Christian, Tracy Chandler. Third Row: Coach Mike Sherwood, Danny Spaulding, Richard Appel, Kenny Stevens, Randy Hupp, Phillip Fiedler.

The 1979 basketball season was a year for improvement for the junior high boys. The eighth graders closed the season with a 2-4 record, while the seventh graders compiled a 1-2 record.

Valuable experience was provided through the competition with other schools. Basic fundamentals as well as new techniques were demonstrated by the players, and they also learned first hand about teamwork.

Various dribbling, passing, and shooting drills improved the skills of the players. These drills also provided the background essential for playing high school basketball.



John Abernathy tries to out maneuver Jeff Worshek and Kenny Stevens.

JR. HI BOYS BASKETBALL

SJHS	7th Grade	OPP
15	East Greene	26
34	Coon Rapids	25
32	Paton Churdan	34
	8th Grade	
27	Coon Rapids	46
32	Bayard	15
23	East Greene	49
40	Cedar Valley	27
22	Paton Churdan	58
35	Glidden Ralston	41

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Competition Motivates Jr. High Girls

A year of great improvement would describe this year's jr. high girls basketball team. All season long, the girls worked on coordination drills, teamwork exercises, and skill development.

Twenty-two girls were out this season, thirteen seventh and nine eighth graders. The girls learned to work together and to strive towards a common goal which was to play the best they could.

The experience these girls received, combined with the learning and practicing of new skills, will be helpful in the years ahead.

JR. HIGH GIRLS BASKETBALL—First Row: Becky Henning, Rae Olerich, Mary Lou Nepple, Kendra Hoyt, Kerry Weddle, Le Cox, Linda Eberle. Second Row: Crystal Hedges, Rhonda Dobson, Jane Russell, Dawn Gibson, Brenda Frazier, Jane Gleason, Mary Beth Murrane, Johna Gustoff. Third Row: Cindy Stevens, Marcella Hull, Tracy Henning, Viki Kunce, Kris Taggart, Vicky Woolsey.

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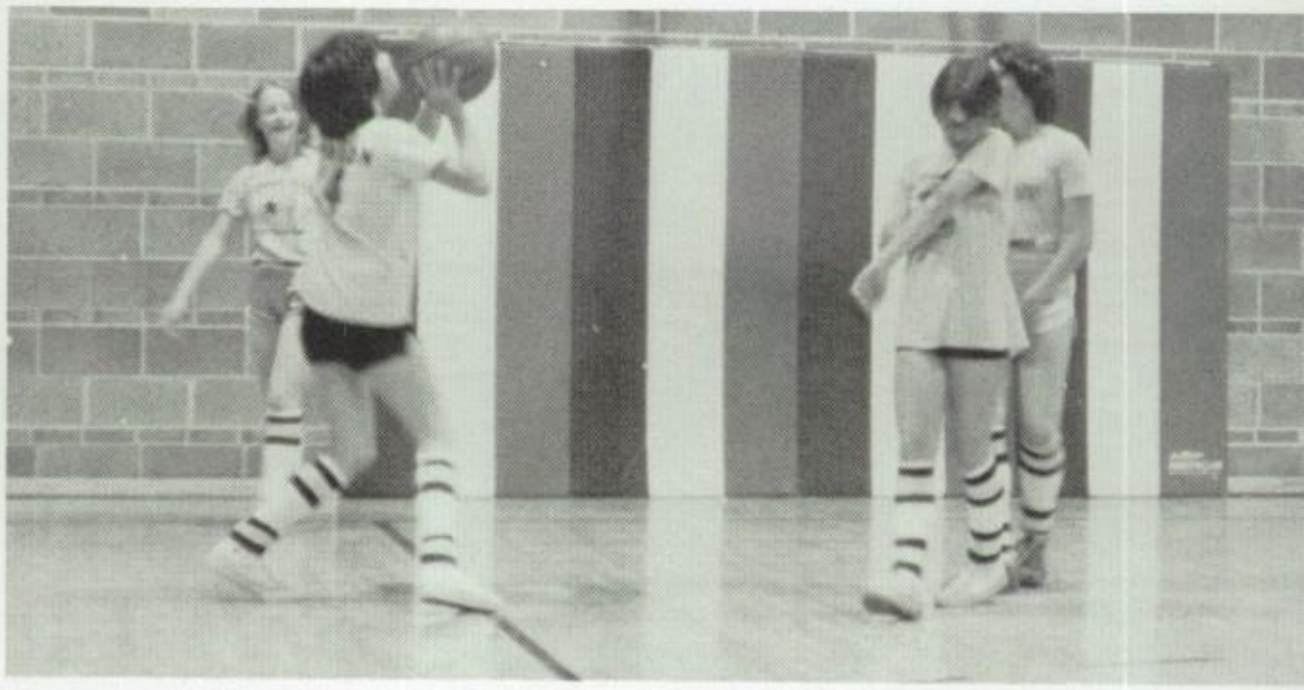

Jane Russell, Rhonda Dobson, Brenda Frazier, and Tracy Monthei practice drills to help them play better games.

Achievements Inspire Jr. High Track

JR. HIGH GIRLS TRACK—First Row: Becky Henning, Rae Olerich, Kendra Hoyt, Mary Lou Nepple, Kerry Weddle, Le Cox, Linda Eberle, Johna Gustoff. Second Row: Rhonda Dobson, Dawn Gibson, Cindy Stevens, Vicky Woolsey, Tracy Henning, Tracy Monthei, Brenda Frazier, Jane Gleason, Jane Russell, Mary Beth Murrane. Third Row: Michelle Squibb, Debbie Woolsey, Marcella Hull, Crystal Hedges, Viki Kunce, Kris Taggart.

The jr. high girls track team consisted of twenty-two enthusiastic members. There were nine eighth graders and thirteen seventh graders. Many of these girls had a season of improvement, as well as, self-achievement.

Twenty-eight talented boys comprised the junior high boys track team. The team had thirteen eighth and fifteen seventh graders pooling their abilities to make a season of enjoyment and experience.

JR. HIGH BOYS TRACK—First Row: Brad Paup, Mike Stevens, Tracy Chandler, Roger Hoyt, Larry Gustoff, Don Christian, Tom Naberhaus, Kenny Stevens, Sean Sailor, Paul McCauley. Second Row: Danny Egan, Jon Baker, Matt McDonald, Roger Wright, Richard Appel, Danny Spaulding, Stacy Gibson, Dee Jay Byerly. Third Row: Brad Juergens, Daniel Skalla, Joe Weddle, Phillip Fiedler, John Abernathy, Randy Hupp, Jeff Worshek, Troy Gibson, Shawn Ludwig, Mike Spaulding.

"Ready-set-go" is the name of the game for Roger Wright and Roger Hoyt.

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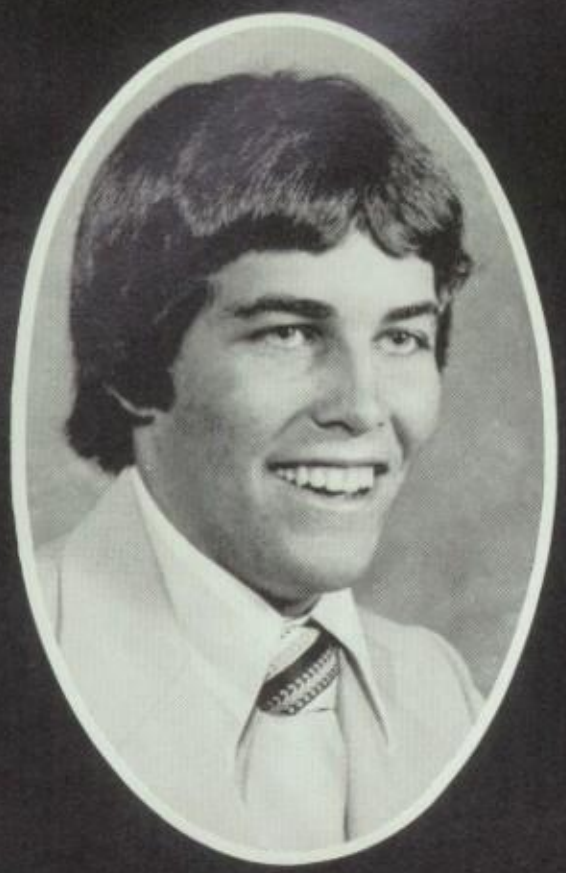
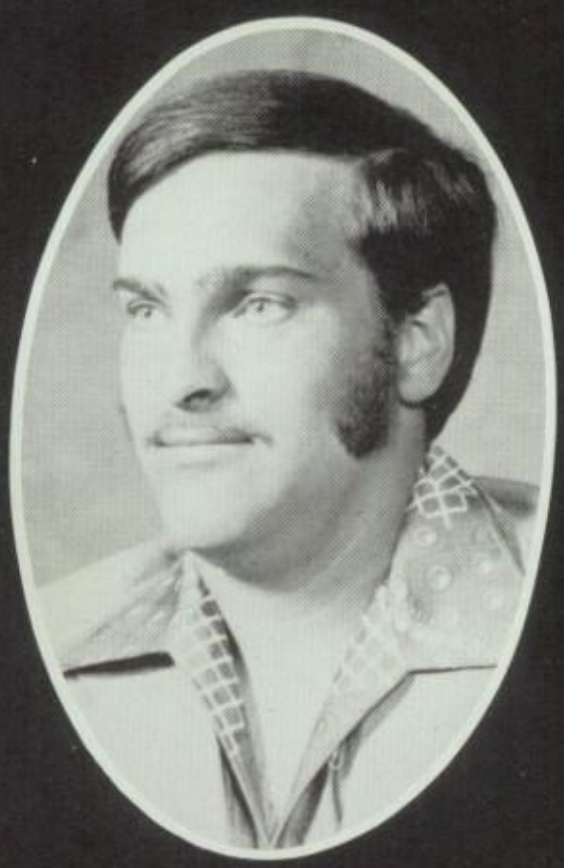
PEOPLE



Steve Appel

Karen Barr

1979
Seniors



Fess Black

Delores Boyd

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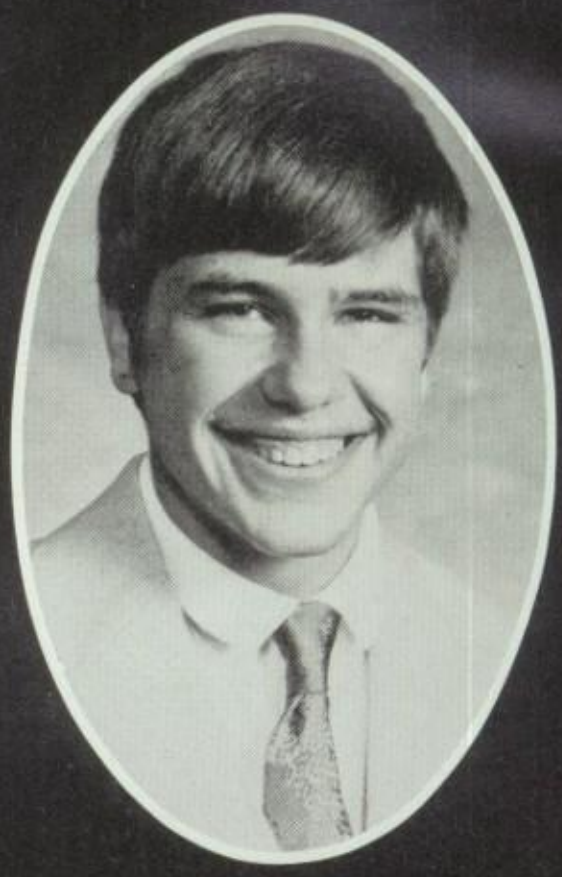
Polly Eason



Danny Eslick

Kathleen Fiedler

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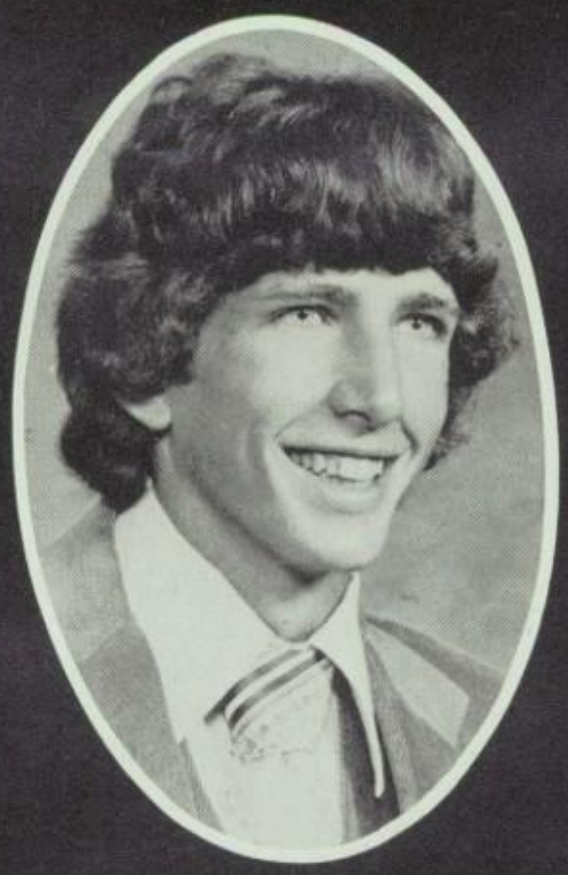

Randy Hoyt

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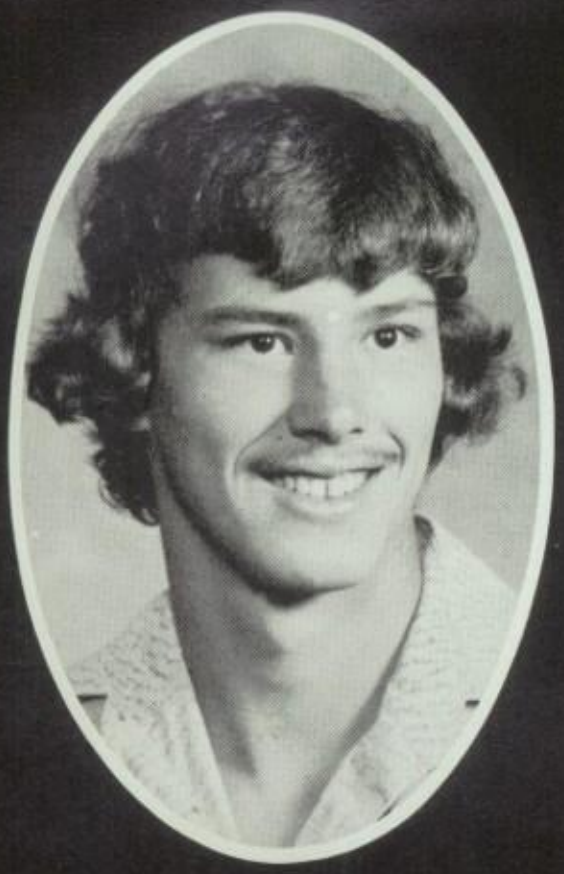
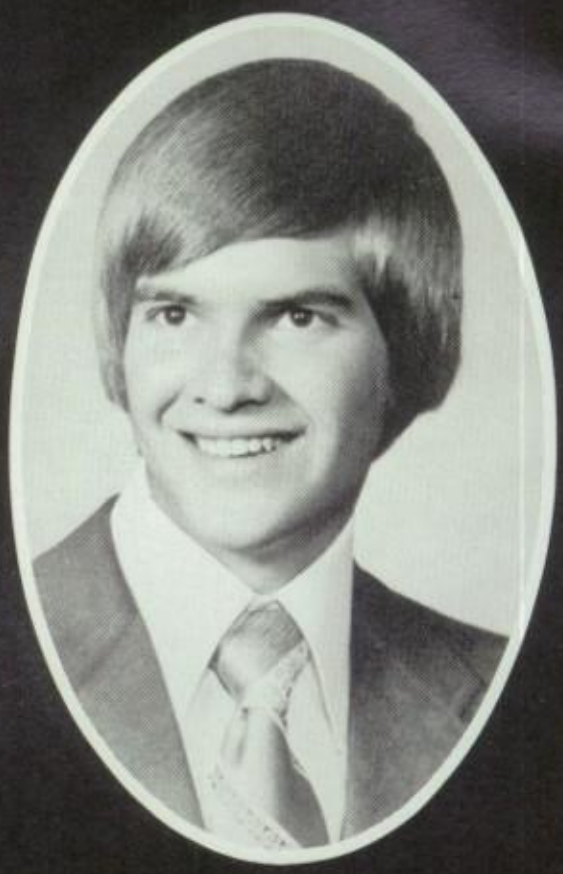


Marvin Kuebler



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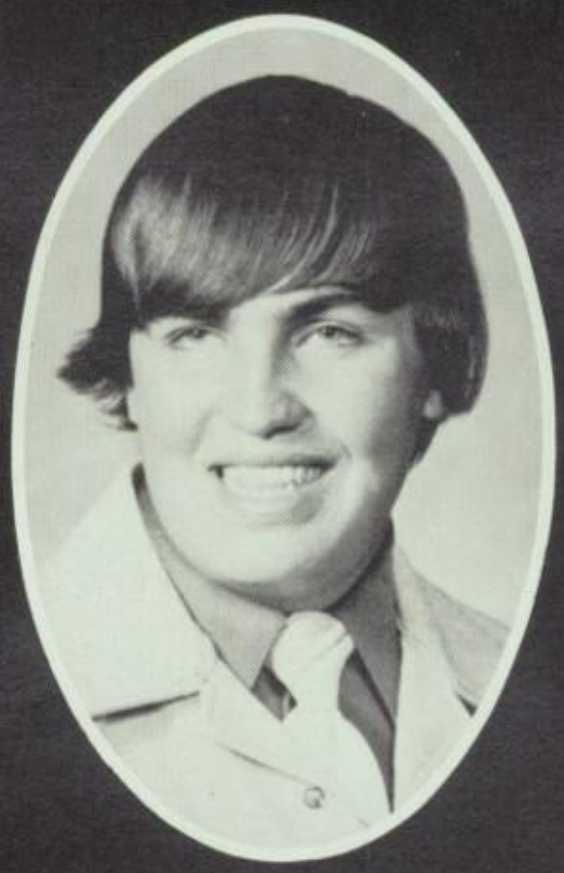

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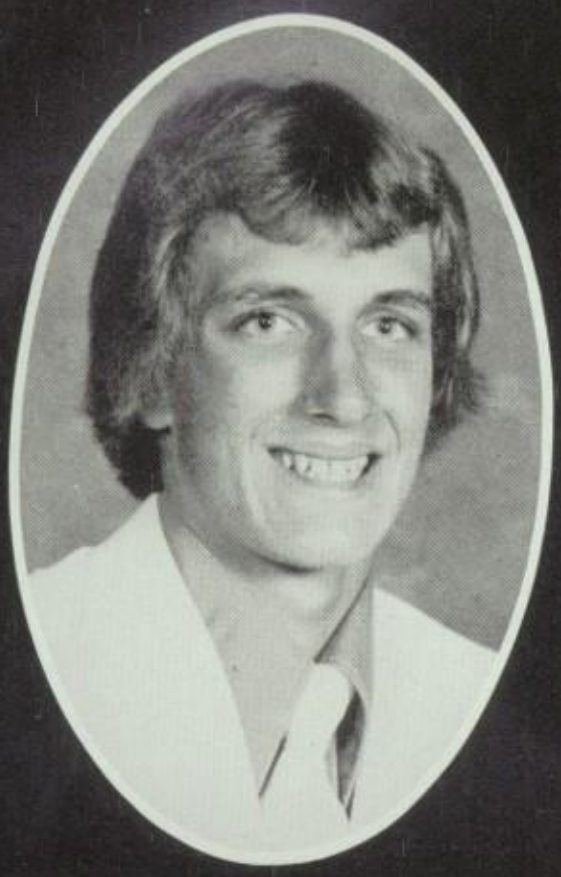

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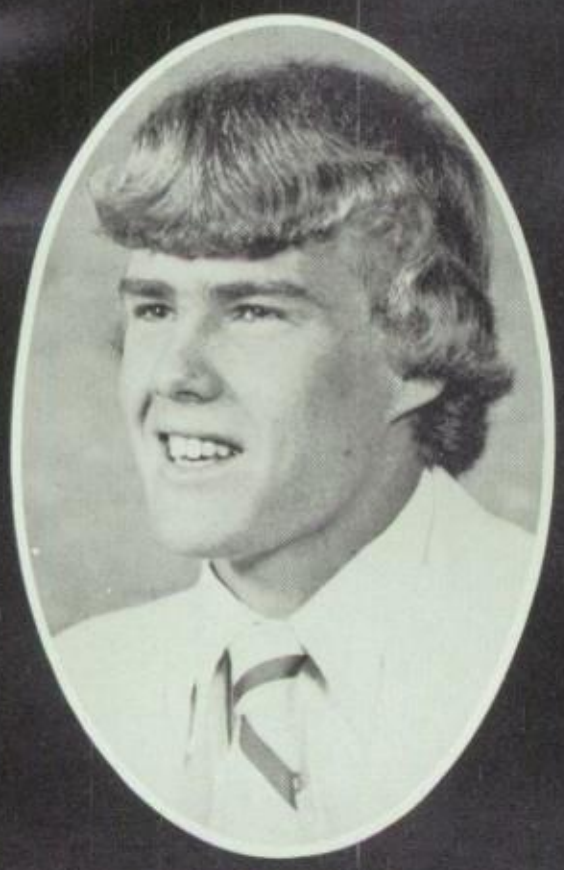

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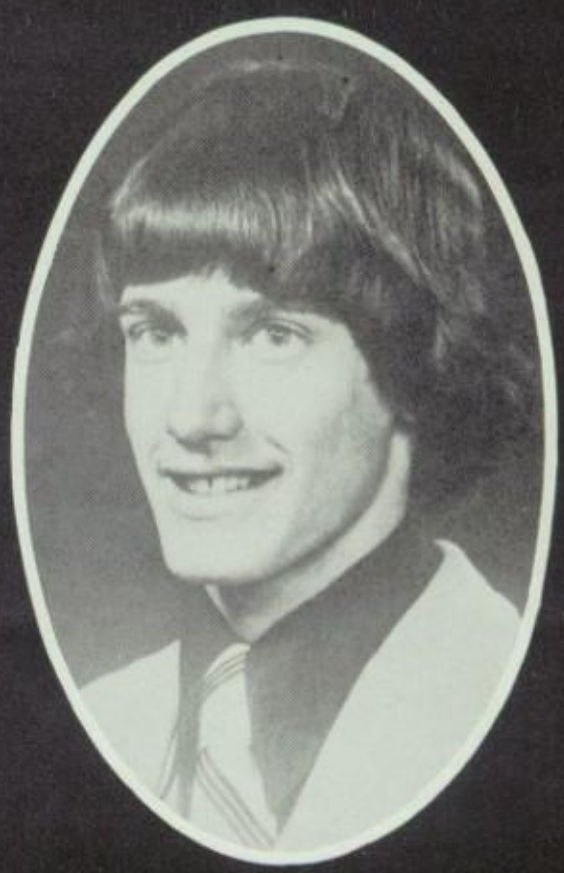
Pat Taggart

Marianne Tschudi

Jeff Willison



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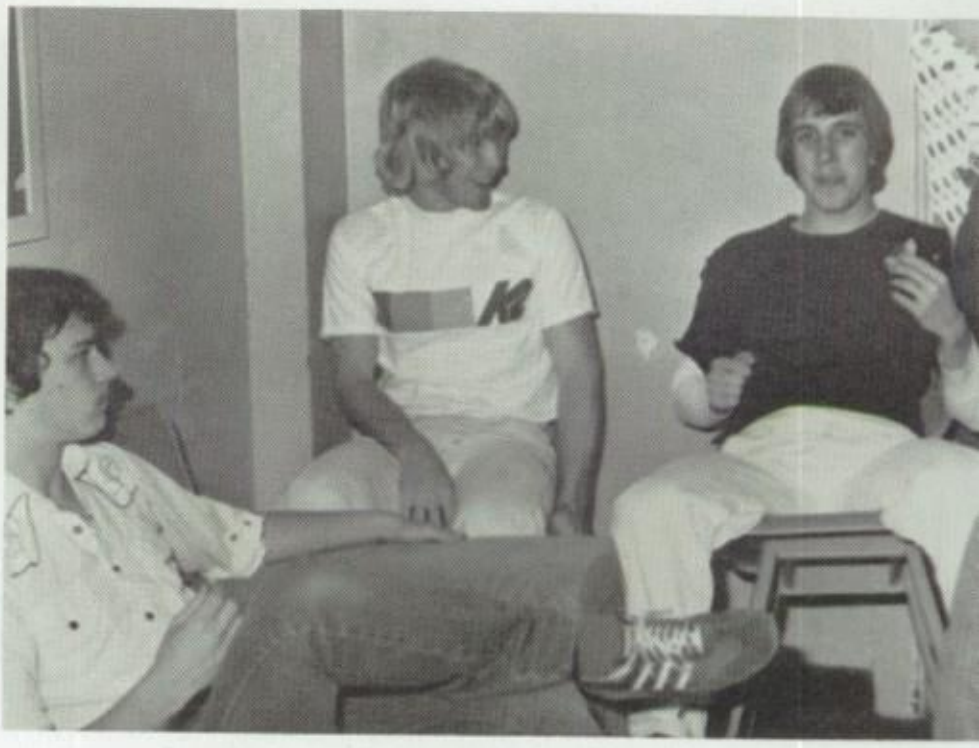


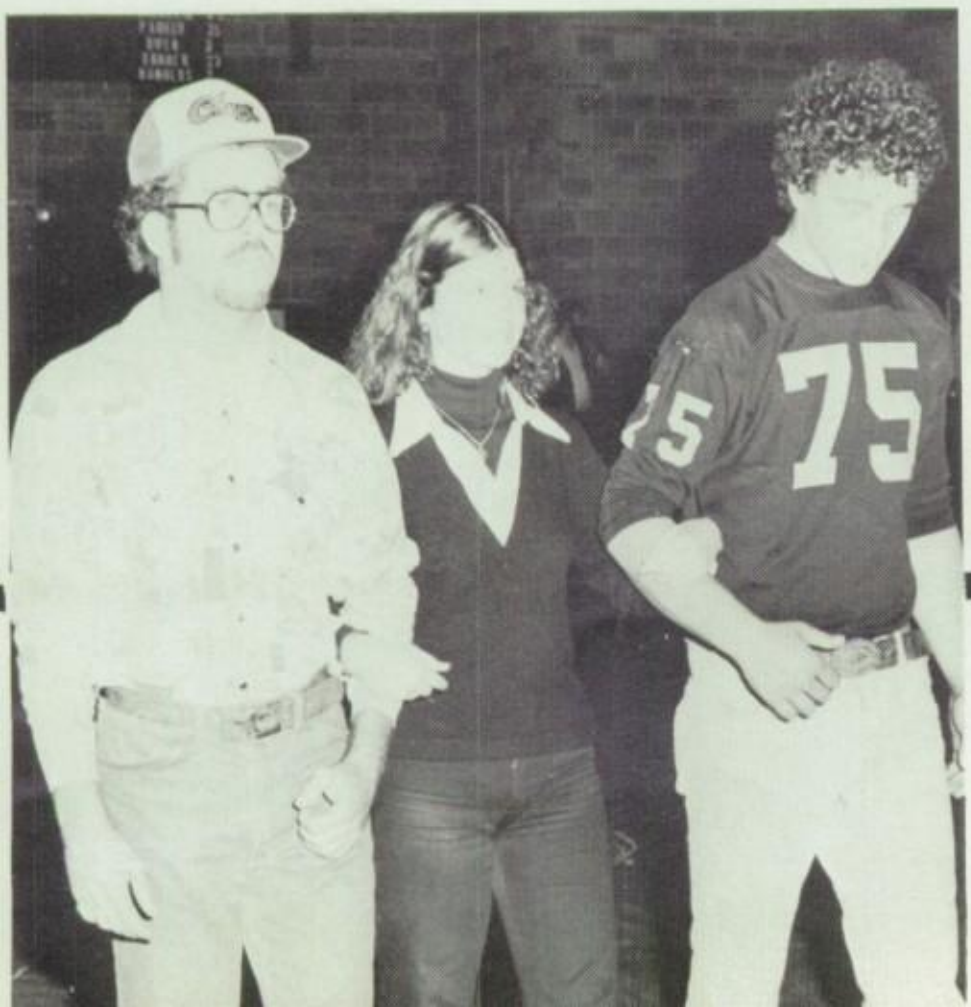
Dave Wolf and Jeff Stevens want everyone to know that the Trojans are number one.

Chris Naylor, Fess Black, Danny Eslick, and Jon Park show their spirit and support for the unbeaten football team.

Jodie Frazier and Jana Christensen proudly represent "Frazey's Firecrackers" as mascots for the AFS football game.

Jeff Stevens catches Marvin Kuebler and Eric Chrystal's attention with one of his stories.

Lisa St. Peter exercises her musical ability on the piano.



Jay Juergens plays a percussion solo, using a variety of instruments.

As a class, the Seniors visited the state capital for a day.

Dave Wolf, Doug Duff, Jeff Stevens, Hallie Still, Michelle Skalla, and Karen Barr put forth their best effort to build a pyramid at a pep meeting.

The senior boys take a moment after graduation to talk over all the happenings of the past.

Coronation practice provides time for Jeff Willison, Honorary Queen Marianne Tschudi, and Pat Taggart to prepare for the real event.

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Juniors Encourage Class Involvement

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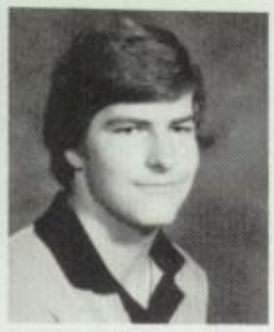
Todd Buswell
Robert Caquelin
Doug Christian
Mick Coellner
Chris Cornelius



Joyce Dobson
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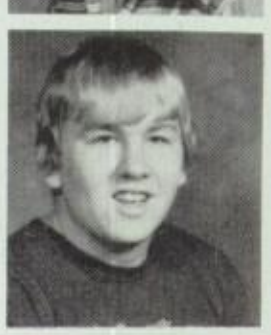

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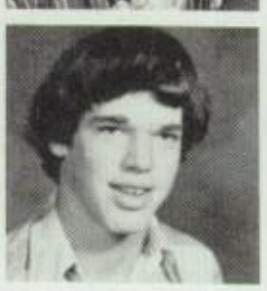

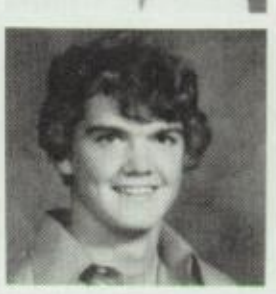

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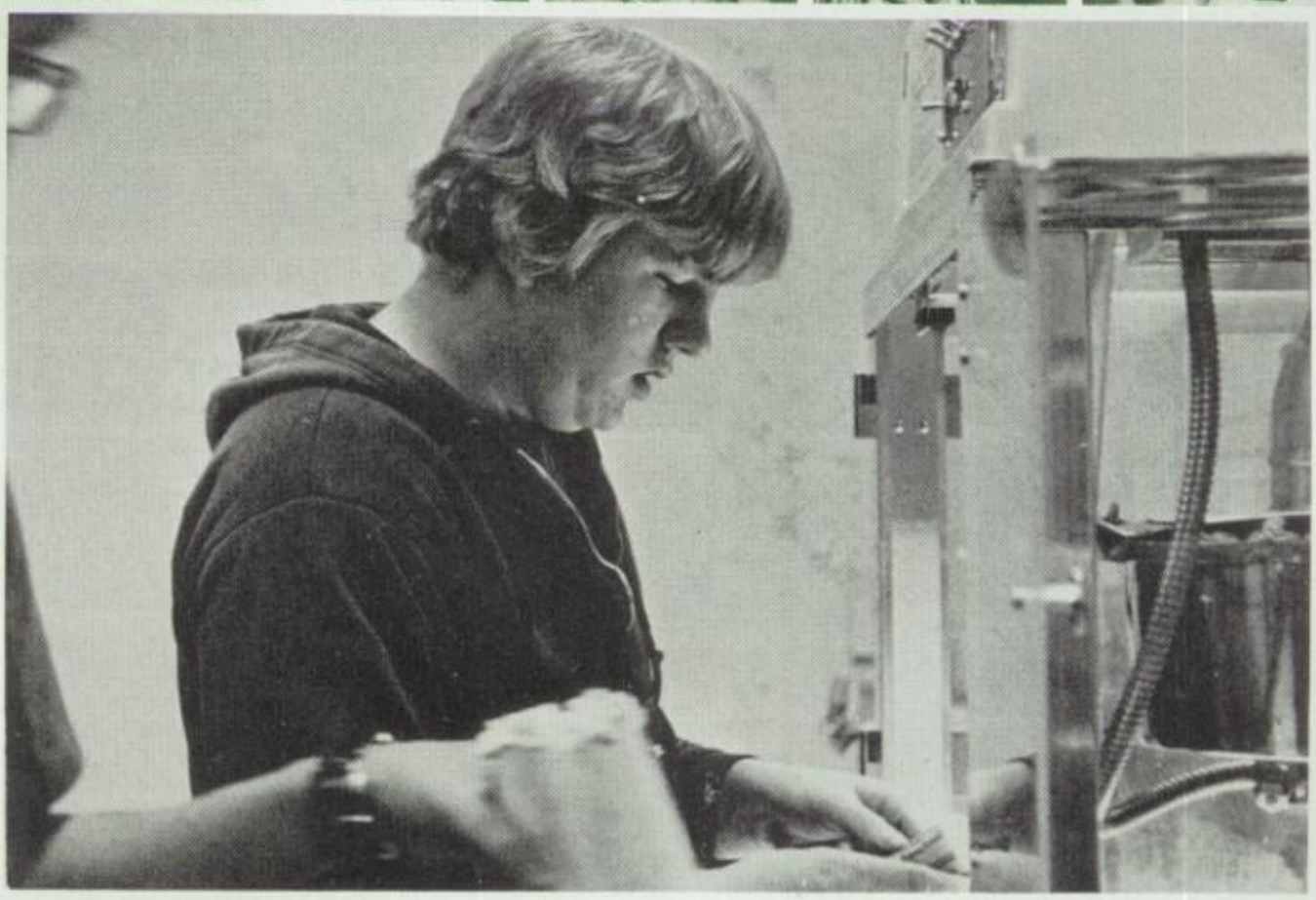

Bobby Kuebler prepares popcorn during the half-time of a home basketball game.

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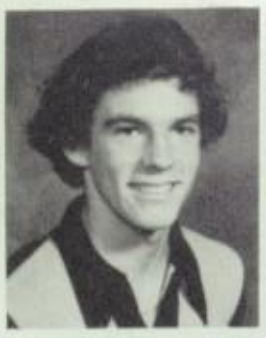
Sophomores Gossip During Free Time



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Pam Juergens

Gail Naberhaus
John Russell

Karen Skalla
Kevin Skalla
John Skalla
Dan Slocum
Jerry Slocum
Nancy Smouse

Tracie Spaulding
Cindy Stevens
Karen Taggart
Mike Taggart
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Cindy Stevens, Tracie Spaulding, and Gail Naberhaus discuss school happenings in the hall during noon hour.

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Freshman Girls Entertain Preschoolers

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Dan Brown
Troy Chandler
LuAnn Dobson

Valerie Dudley
Deirdre Duff
Susan Egan
Mike Esdohr
Mike Gibson
Denise Hanks

Holly Hedges
Mike Hove
Kris Hoyt

Rhonda Hupp
Renee Jackson
John Loeffler

SueAnn Marks
Debra Naylor
Terri Park

Craig Peterson
Barbara Renwanz
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DeeDee Duff and Renae Jackson use clay and toys to conduct Home Ec. preschool.

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Eighth Grade Joins High School Band

Richard Appel
D.J. Byerly

Tracy Chandler
Don Christian

Le Cox
Linda Eberle

Julie Ganoe
Stacy Gibson

Larry Grantz
Johnna Gustoff
Larry Gustoff
Becky Henning
Kendra Hoyt
Roger Hoyt

Viki Kunce
Tom Naberhaus
Mary Lou Nepple
Rae Olerich
Brad Paup
Danny Spaulding

Michelle Squibb
Kenny Stevens
Mike Stevens
Kerry Weddle
Roger Wright

Baton twirling provides fun and work for Kendra Hoyt and Becky Henning.

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Active Seventh Grade Partakes in Skits

Jon Baker
Rhonda Dobson
Danny Egan
Phillip Fiedler
DeeDee Fisher
Brenda Frazier

Dawn Gibson
Troy Gibson
Jane Gleason
Darlene Grantz
Chrystal Hedges
Tracy Henning

Marcella Hull
Randy Hupp
Brad Juergens
Shawn Ludwig
Paul McCauley
Matt McDonald

Tracy Monthei
Mary Beth Murrane
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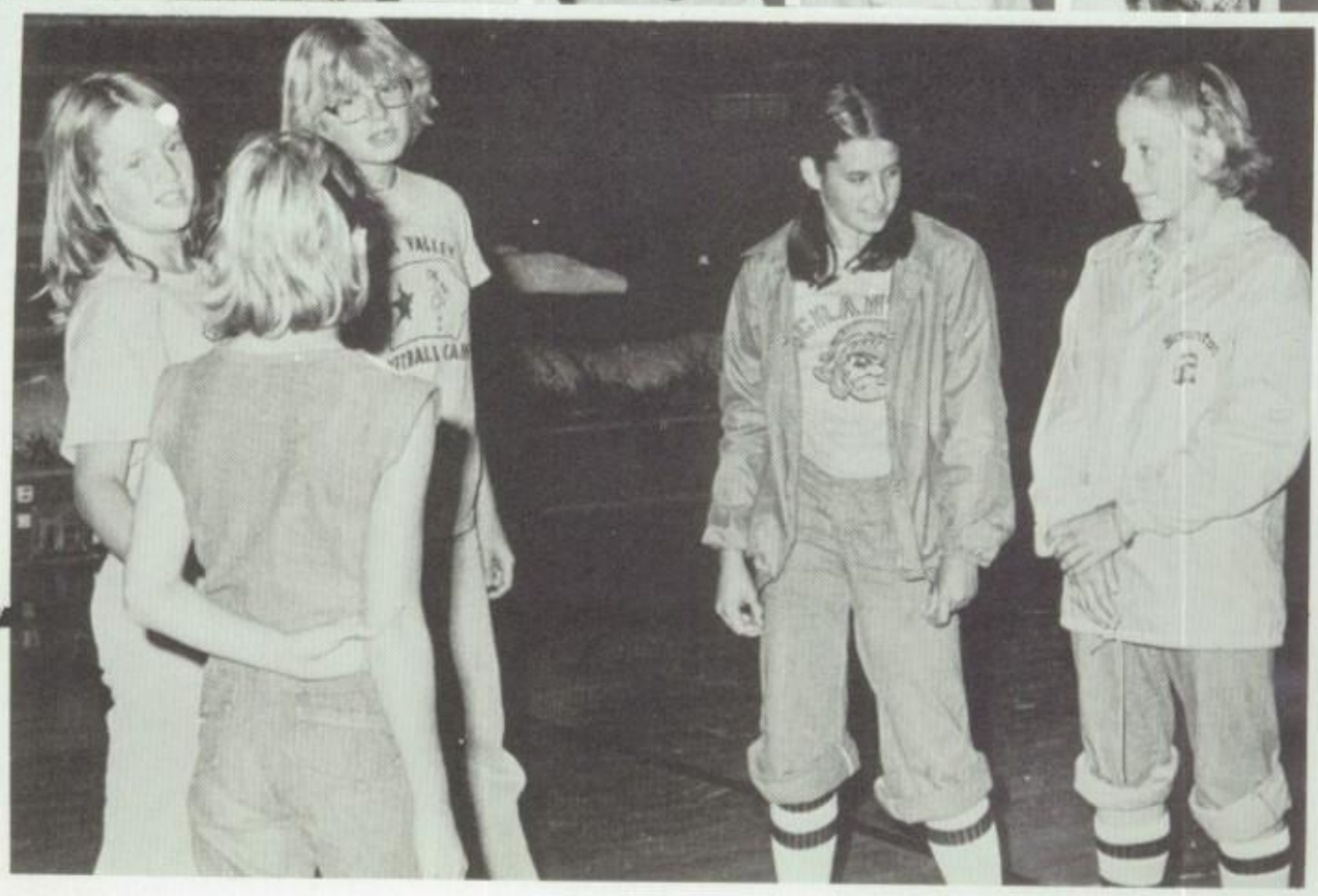

Jane Russell, Mary Beth Murrane, Dawn Gibson, Tracy Monthei, and Jane Gleason promote spirit at the Gong Show.

Sixth Graders Develop Musical Skills

Todd Arnold
Monica Barr
Laurie Dillavou
Chad Fengel
Jessica Goodwin
Betty Gustoff

Doug Haeberlein
Matt Hoyt
Scott Hunter
Marleen Hull
Chris Jackson
Scott McDonald

Mark Naberhaus
Kathy Park

Michelle Peterson
Bill Reck

Paul Renwanz
Mark Spaulding

Jeff St. Peter
Mike Squibb

Chad Fengel, Todd Arnold, and Doug Haeberlein put their instruments together and warm up with musical scales.

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Fifth Graders are Leads in Operetta

Elizabeth Dalton
Donna Eberle
Doreen Eslick
Mary Ellen Fiedler

Tara Gibson
Debbie Hanks
Brent Hedges
Bryan Hedges

Jacqueline Henning
Kevin Hoyt
Robert Lawton
Kevin McCullough

Kristin McDonald
Chris Olerich
Bryce Paup
Molly Pemble

Loretta Sailer
Brian Skalla
Dale Spaulding
David Squibb

Janet Stephens
Kim St. Peter
James Worshek
Eric Wright

With the help of high school girls, Janet Stephens and Rob Lawton apply make up before the play. Later, Brian Skalla and Jackie Henning wait for the play to start.

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Fourth Graders Learn to Check Work

Rosalie Cornelius
Karen Cox
Jill Fengel
Jan Forkner
Mary Beth Gleason
Jason Goodwin

Rhonda Kunce
Thomas Marks

Tina McCauley
David McDonald

Gina Metzger
Tonja Monthei

Shelly Morgan
Kimberly Nath

Chet Pinkerton
Donald Reck
Julie Stephens
Randy Venteicher
Janelle Wright

Donny Reck, Rhonda Kunce, and Julie Stephens check their daily work for errors.

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Play Practice Occupies Third Graders

Robert Brus
Lisa Gibson
Kelly Harms
Andy Hoyt
Kelsey Mann
Timothy Marks

Kari Metzger
Terra Morgan

Patrick Naberhaus
Melinda Nath

Patricia Park
Dennis Skalla

John Shaffer
Carl Simpson

Mike Sondergroth
Rodney Stevenson

Laura Stevens
Todd Stevens
Stacy Stimson
Sheila Subbert
George Sukovaty
Andy Weddle

By performing in a skit, the third graders learn to express their emotions at an early age.

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Holidays Impress Second Graders

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Don Conroy
Billy Dillavou
Letitia Duff
Shannon Farrell
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Julie Gibson
Jolene Harms
David Henning
David Hopkins
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The second graders proudly display their newly-decorated Christmas tree.

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First Graders Accept New Challenges

Sherri Bock
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Mark Gibson

Stacy Harms
Danny Jessen

Richard Meiners
Tony Monthei

Brian Nath
Shawn Nelson

James Naberhaus
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Brian Stevens
Sally Terrill
Angela Wilson
Amy Jo Wright

Amy Wright, Homecoming crown bearer, looks intent as she walks to the stage.

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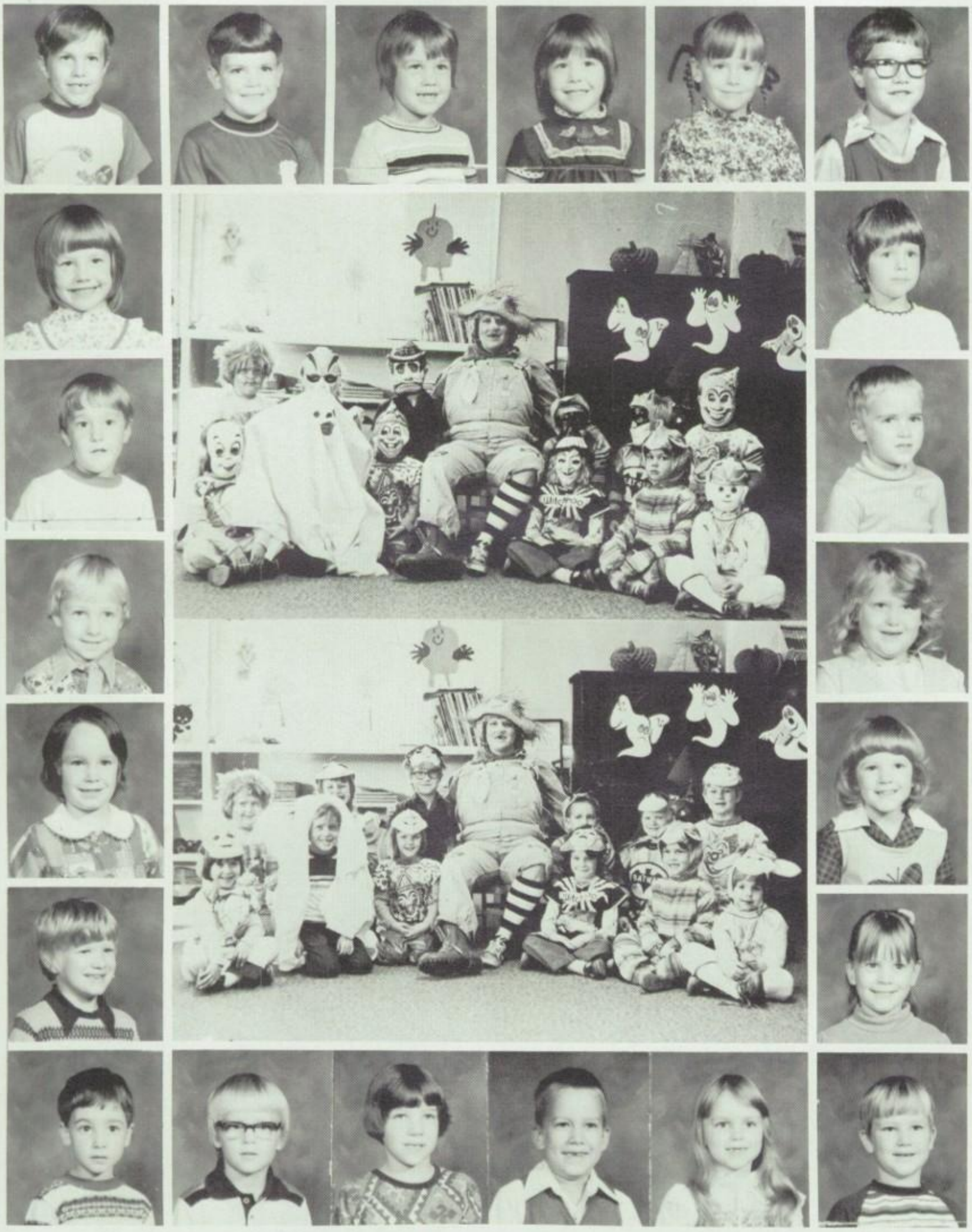
Kindergartners are Excited by Parties



John Cox
Marty Dalton
Angela Dudley
Rebecca Dudley
Lydia Eberle
Michael Fiedler

Billie Jo Fleming
Ann Holden

Steve Hopkins
Robert Jackson

Joshua Kelly
Danielle Malone

Kathy McCauley
Tanya Robbins

Tracy Robbins
Teresa Sesker

Steven Squibb
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Renee Winger
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Mrs. Cadiddlehopper, alias Mrs. Morlan, and the Kindergartners reveal their true identities at their Halloween party.

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Rip Van Winkle Surfaces New Talents

The sixth, seventh, and eighth grades combined their talents to put on the play "Rip Van Winkle." Mr. Robert Reck, music instructor, directed the play.

Richard Appel held the lead part of Rip and Kendra Hoyt played his wife. There were large groups of children and of mountain men. The Junior High students sold the tickets for the play themselves.

High school chorus girls also helped with the play in many ways. They painted sets, prompted, put on makeup, and helped Mr. Reck keep all the details straight.

Roger Hoyt, Richard Appel, and Tracy Chandler sing a trio before Rip leaves for the mountains.

High school girls help get the cast ready by applying makeup to the characters.

Joe Weddle, Rip's dog, does a short song and dance.

Richard Appel as Rip holds the children spellbound with one of his many stories.

Musical Ability Developed in Jr. High

JUNIOR HIGH MIXED CHORUS—First Row: Debbie Woolsey, Vicky Woolsey, Chrystal Hedges, Tracy Henning, Marcella Hull, Cindy Stevens, Tracy Monthei, Kendra Hoyt, Kerry Weddle, Mary Lou Nepple, Linda Eberle, Michelle Squibb. Second Row: Dawn Gibson, Rae Olerich, Rhonda Dobson, Viki Kunce, Johna Gustoff, Becky Henning, Le Cox, Jane Russell, Kris Taggart, Mary Beth Murrane, Brenda Frazier, Jane Gleason. Third Row: Daniel Skalla, Troy Gibson, Matt McDonald, Brad Juergens, Tom Naberhaus, Roger Wright, Brad Paup, Tracy Chandler, Joe Weddle, Jon Baker, Danny Egan, Phillip Fiedler, Jeff Worshek. Fourth Row: Paul McCauley, Sean Sailor, Richard Appel, Don Christian, Danny Spaulding, Shawn Ludwig, Roger Hoyt, Mike Stevens, John Abernathy, Larry Gustoff, Randy Hupp, Mike Spaulding, Kenny Stevens.

JUNIOR HIGH BAND—First Row: Michelle Peterson, Monica Barr, Kathy Park, Kris Taggart, Mary Beth Murrane, Tracy Henning, Cindy Stevens, Todd Arnold, Chad Fengel. Second Row: Chris Jackson, Mark Naberhaus, Matt Hoyt, Jeff Worshek, Jane Gleason, Jon Baker, Doug Haeberlein, Chrystal Hedges. Third Row: Troy Gibson, Phillip Fiedler, Joe Weddle, Tracy Monthei, Bill Reck, Scott Hunter. Fourth Row: Director Charles Cooper, Mike Squibb, Dean Teeters, Daniel Skalla, Dawn Gibson, Matt McDonald.

The junior high vocal and band departments worked very hard this year to provide entertainment for everyone.

The vocal department put on the musical "Rip Van Winkle", which revealed many new talents. Also, the junior high performed in the high school chorus concert given in the fall.

At the high school band concert, the junior high band played several songs and proved once again that hard work pays off.

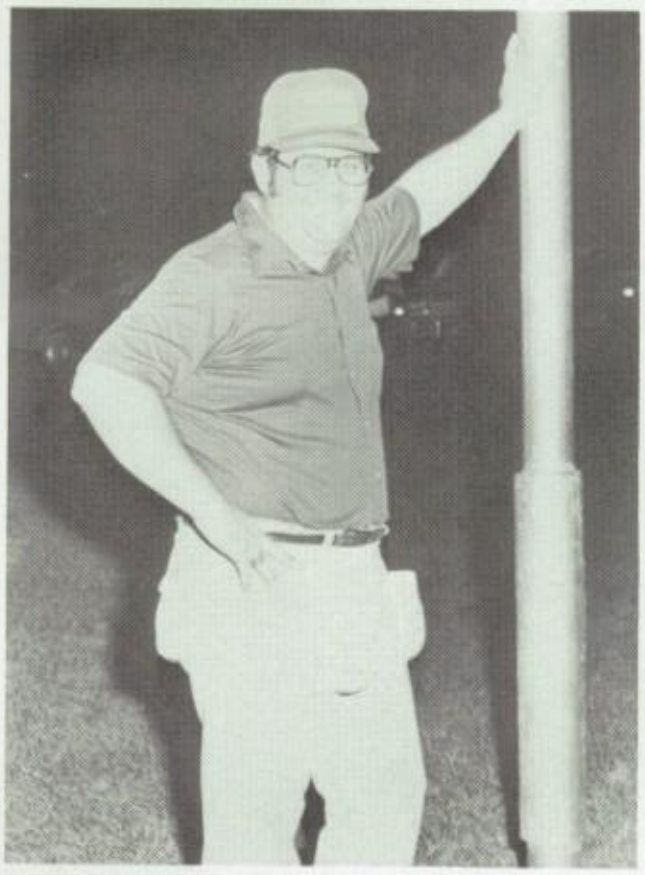
The early experience that these young musicians are receiving will be a key factor in the years to come.

Board Pushes for School Improvement

Determining goals and reaching them was the key plan of the administration and faculty. Through discussions and analysis, teachers organized their classrooms to get students to strive for their own goals for the purpose of self-satisfaction and incentive. It was felt that once a goal was achieved, more goals would be strived for. The faculty's highest hope is that the students learn to depend on themselves and realize the importance of deciding what they want and working toward it.

Ingvert Appel
Superintendent

Larry Cox
Principal



SCHOOL BOARD—First Row: Dale Hoyt, Judy Gibson, President Vern Dobson. Second Row: Donald Gibson, Otis Henning, Don Egan, and Ingvert Appel.

Before a football game, Mr. Appel relaxes beside the goal post.

Mr. Cox reads the creed for National Honor Society.

CHARLES COOPER
Instrumental Music

FAITH CORNELIUS
Home Economics

JOHN DALTON
Jr. High History

CLEO DUFF
Remedial Reading

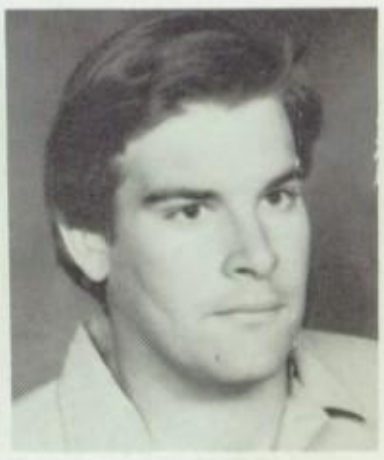
JUDIE FRAZEY
Business

KEAVIN HILL
Jr. High English

HELEN GLIEM
Fourth Grade

GARY HALL
Industrial Arts

DELAYNE HOPKINS
Science



ROBERT HOWARD
Physical Education

Charles Cooper directs the marching band at half-time of a football game.

Watching the moves of the opponents, Delayne Hopkins coaches the Trojanettes carefully.

Judie Frazey works with her dog, Katy, teaching her to obey commands.

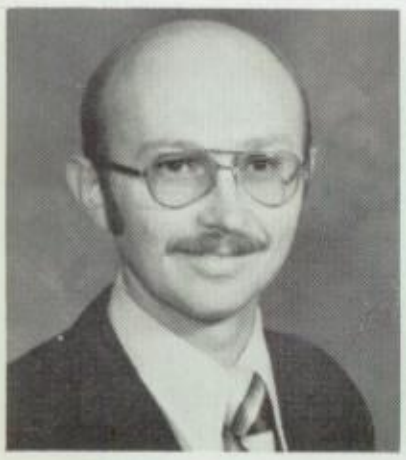
DENNIS HOYT
Vo-Ag

NEAL HOYT
Guidance Counselor

BEVERLY LEHMAN
English

BARB MONIGAN
LD

CAROL MORLAN
Kindergarten



KEN MORLAN
Fifth Grade

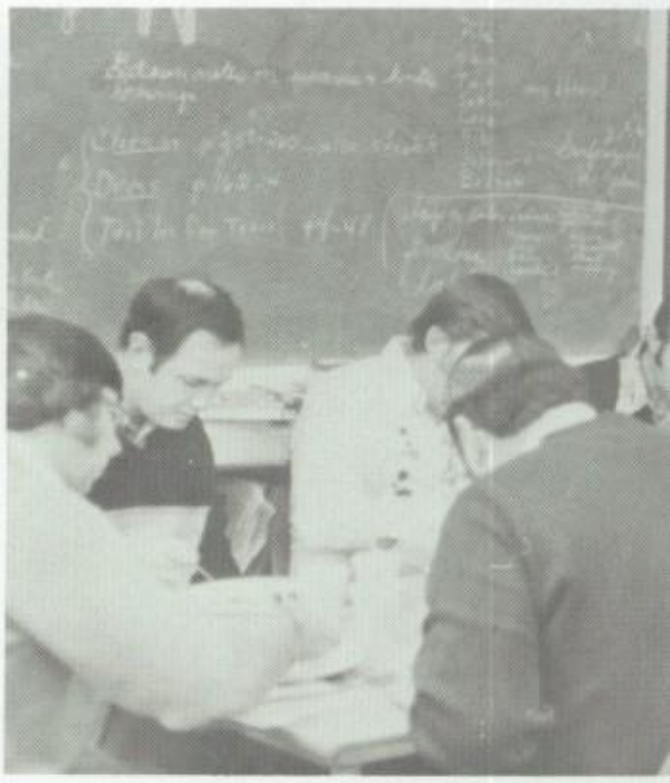
SUSAN MURRAY
Jr. High Reading

NANCY REESE
Art

CATHY RECK
Second Grade

ROBERT RECK
Vocal Music

Faculty members John Dalton, Nancy Reese, David Wilson, Judie Frazey, and Delayne Hopkins form a team at a frisbee assembly.



Judie Frazey and Nancy Reese, The Unknown Drummers, participate in the Gong Show.

Delayne Hopkins, Ingvert Appel, John Dalton, and Neal Hoyt enjoy the FFA faculty breakfast.

MIKE SHERWOOD
Jr. High Math

DALE STEPHENS
Math

SARAH STEPHENS
Spanish

PRISCILLA STILL
Librarian

REBECCA WHITVER
First Grade

DAVID WILSON
Social Studies

DIANE WILSON
Third Grade

VELMA WOLF
Jr. High Science

Baseball coach, Mike Sherwood, encourages his team to play their best.

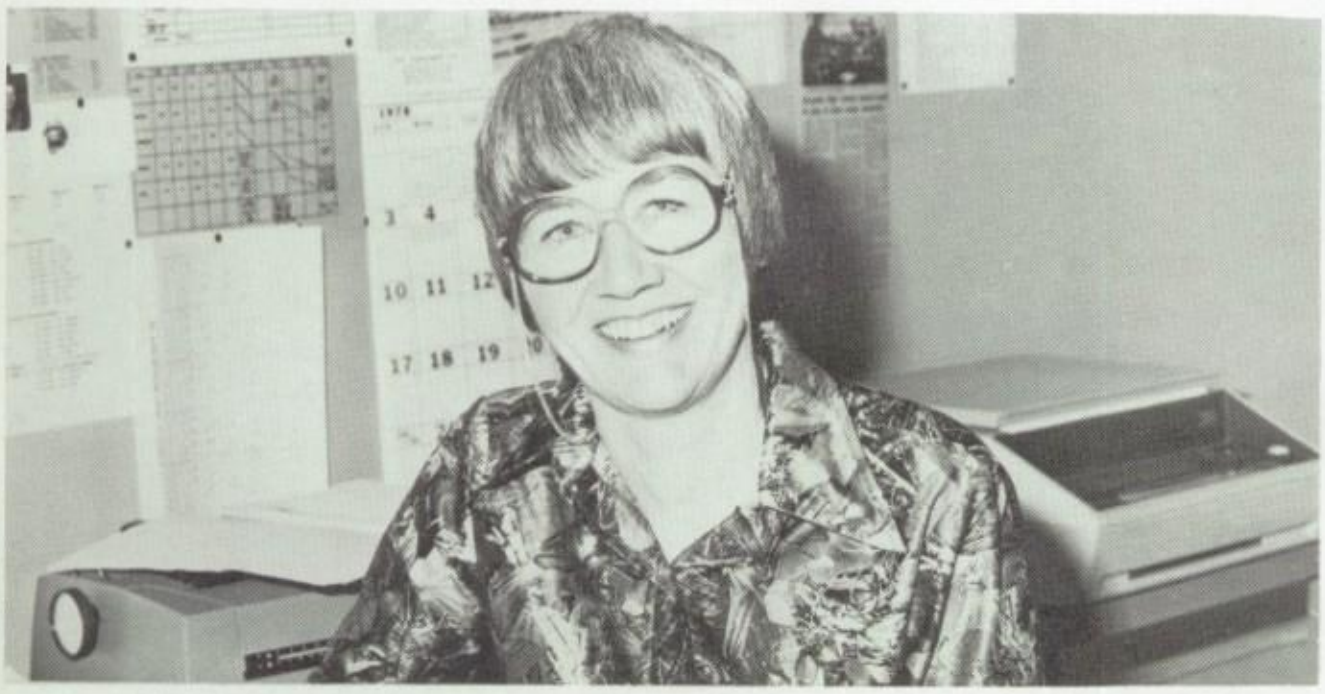
Displaying Halloween spirit, Carol Morlan wears her costume for the class.

Diane and David Wilson enjoy the music and dancing at prom.

Helpers and Aides Fulfill Duties to

Behind the classes, students, and teachers are the many people who work to help keep things running efficiently. Although they may not be seen and recognized by everyone, the work they do makes it possible for the school to remain open.

Throughout the year the students realize how important the helpers are to them. Passes and lunch tickets can be obtained from secretaries, Doris and Ann. The teachers' aides help ease the load for elementary teachers. When the classes take field trips, the school bus drivers are willing to lend a hand. Hot meals are prepared by the cooks. Dirt disappears after school when the janitors clean up. Illness and injury are taken care of by nurse Marilee Dalton.



School nurse, Marilee Dalton, keeps the student files up-to-date.

Margaret Neary assists the teachers by running off assignments.

Superintendent's Secretary—Ann Juergens

Principal's Secretary—Doris Tolsdorf.

Keep the School Functioning Properly

COOKS—First Row: Ruth Calder, and Delores Lewis. Second Row: Helen Monthei and Melva Byerly.

JANITORS — Russell Kelley and Lindsey Nicholson.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATES — Mabel Oxenford and Vee Stevens.

BUS DRIVERS—Bill Sesker, Robert Voorhees, Helen Eason. Not pictured—Gene Taggart.

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I'd like to close with one final thought:

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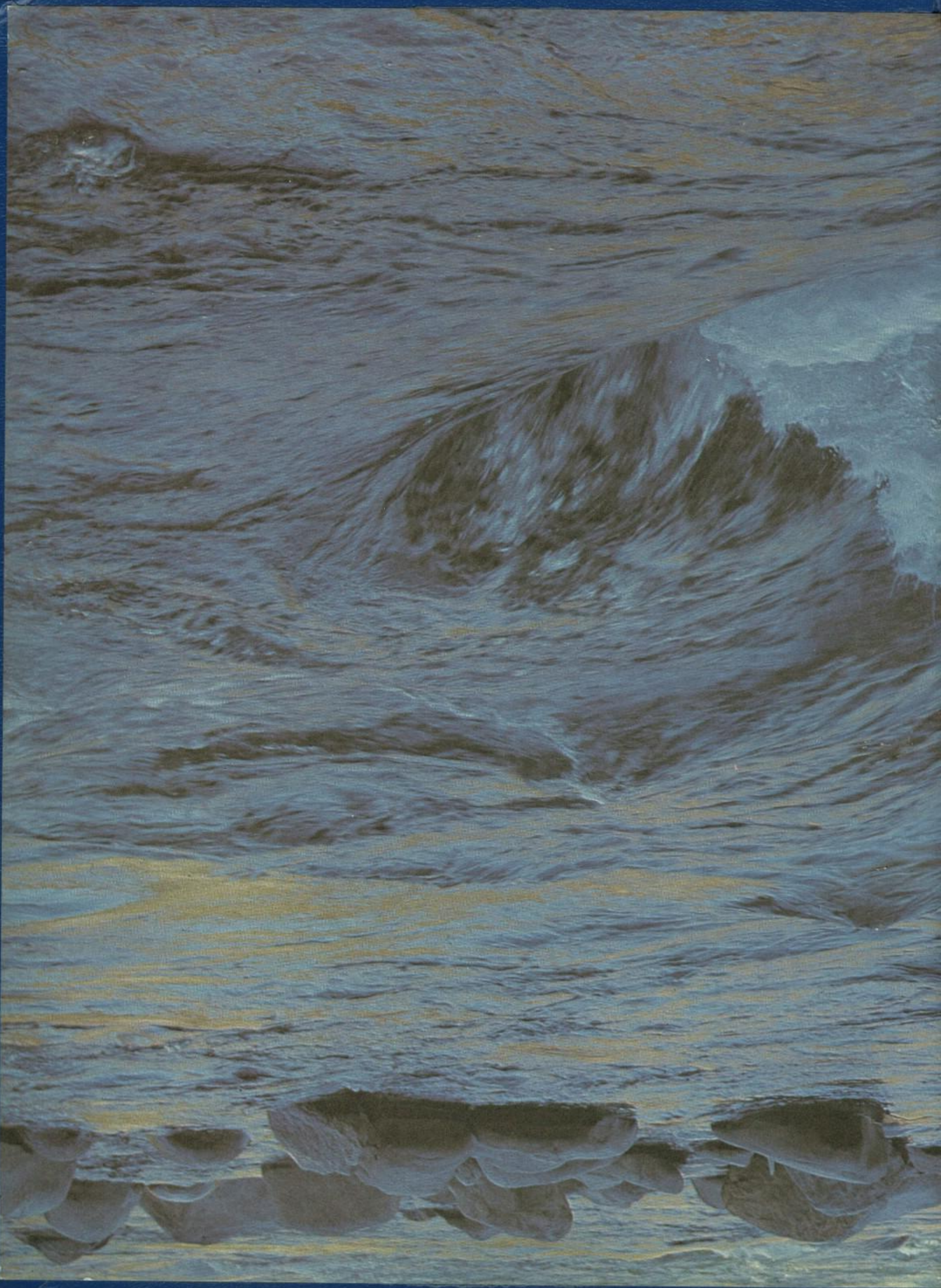
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